

Top and Ewk Results from the Tevatron



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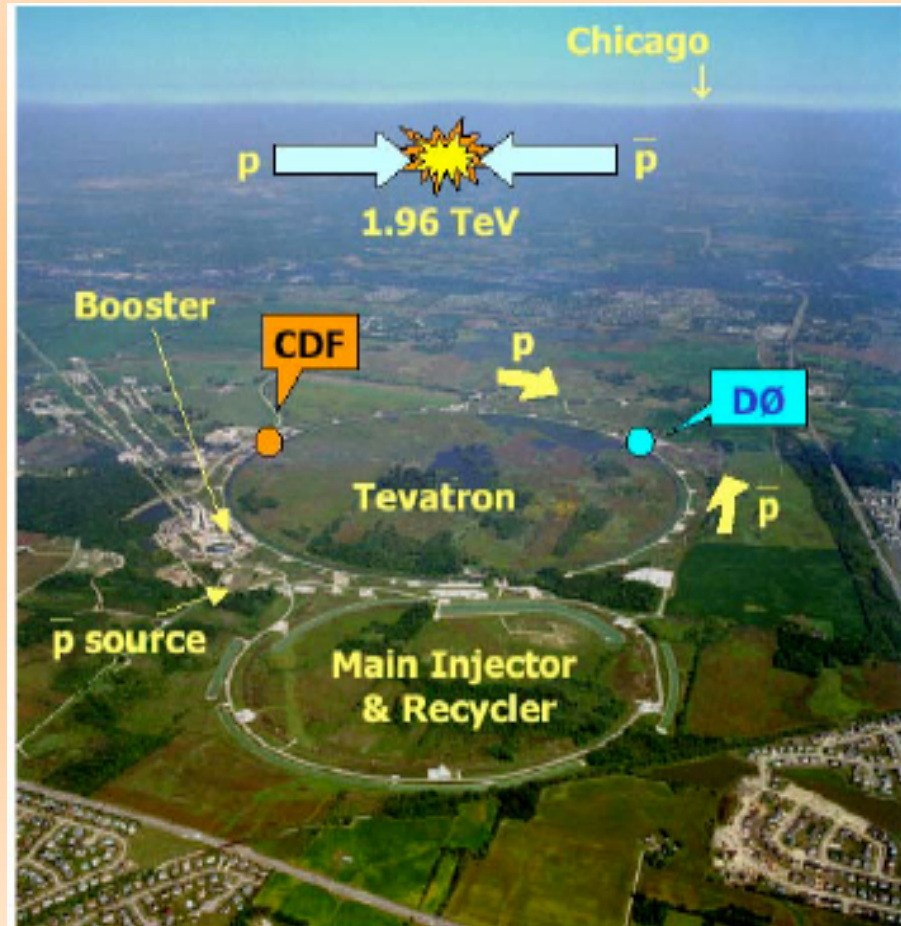
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Hadron Structure
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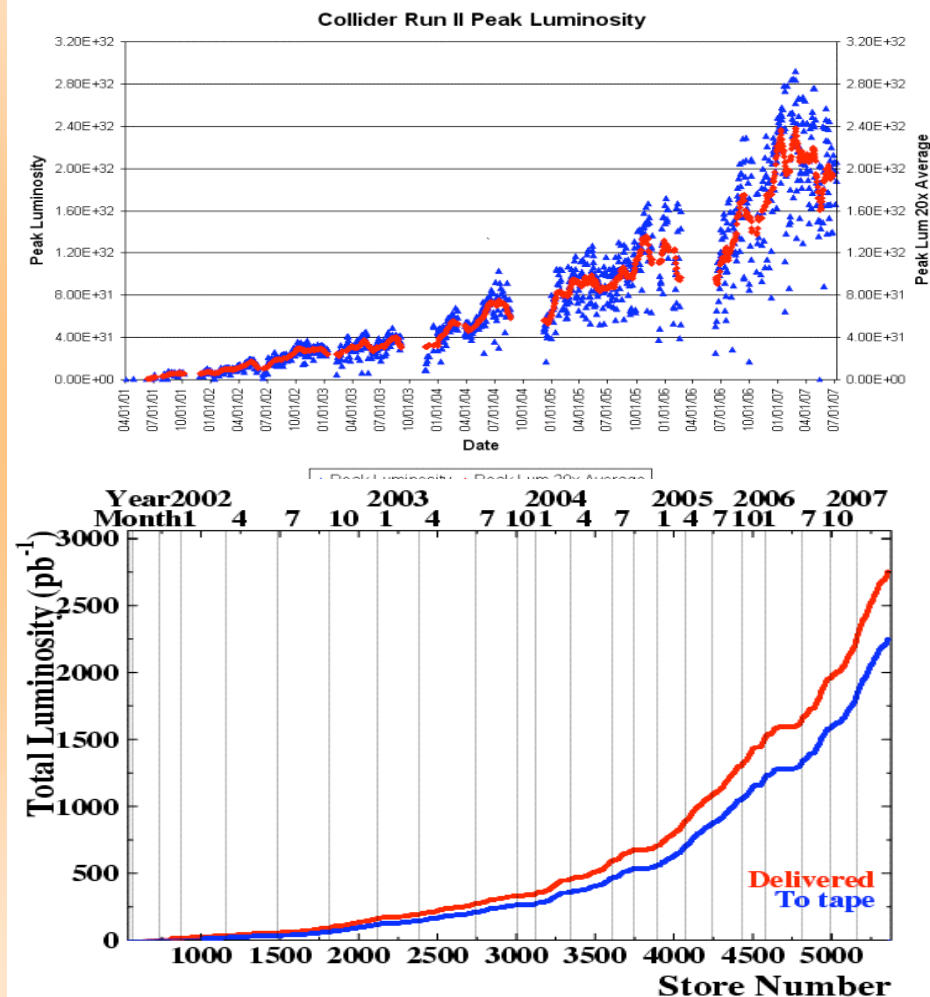
The Tevatron Collider

- Operating at presently world's highest particle energy collisions
- Currently the world's only top quark production machine
- Two multi-purpose detectors
- Run 1 (1992-1996)
 - $\sqrt{s} = 1.8 \text{ TeV}$
 - Integrated Lum $\sim 110 \text{ pb}^{-1}$
 - Top Discovery!
- Run 2 (2001-present)
 - $\sqrt{s} = 1.96 \text{ TeV}$



Tevatron Performance

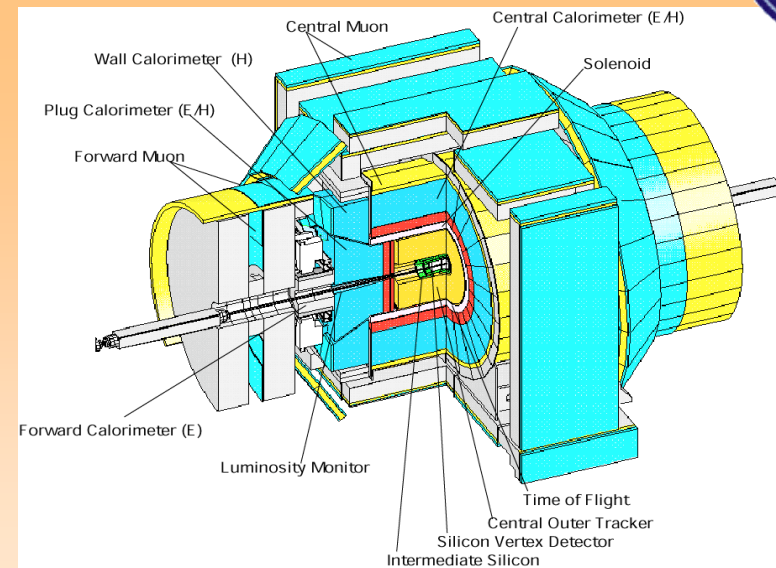
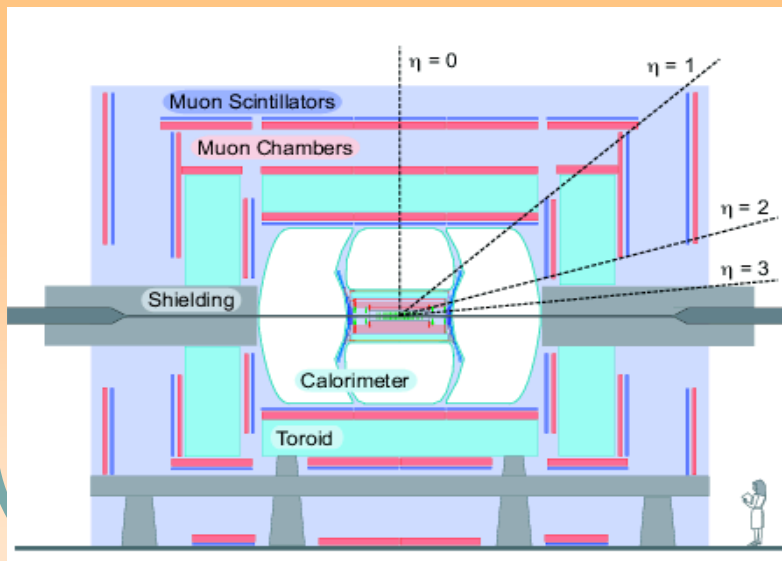
- Record Initial Luminosity $2.9 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^2\text{s}^{-1}$
- Luminosities above $2 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^2\text{s}^{-1}$ are now common
- Expect initial luminosities above $3 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^2\text{s}^{-1}$ next year
- Integrated Luminosity per week $\sim 50 \text{ pb}^{-1}$ (a half of of the Run1 dataset)
- On tape $\sim 2.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- Aim for $6-8 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ by 2009



Tevatron Detectors

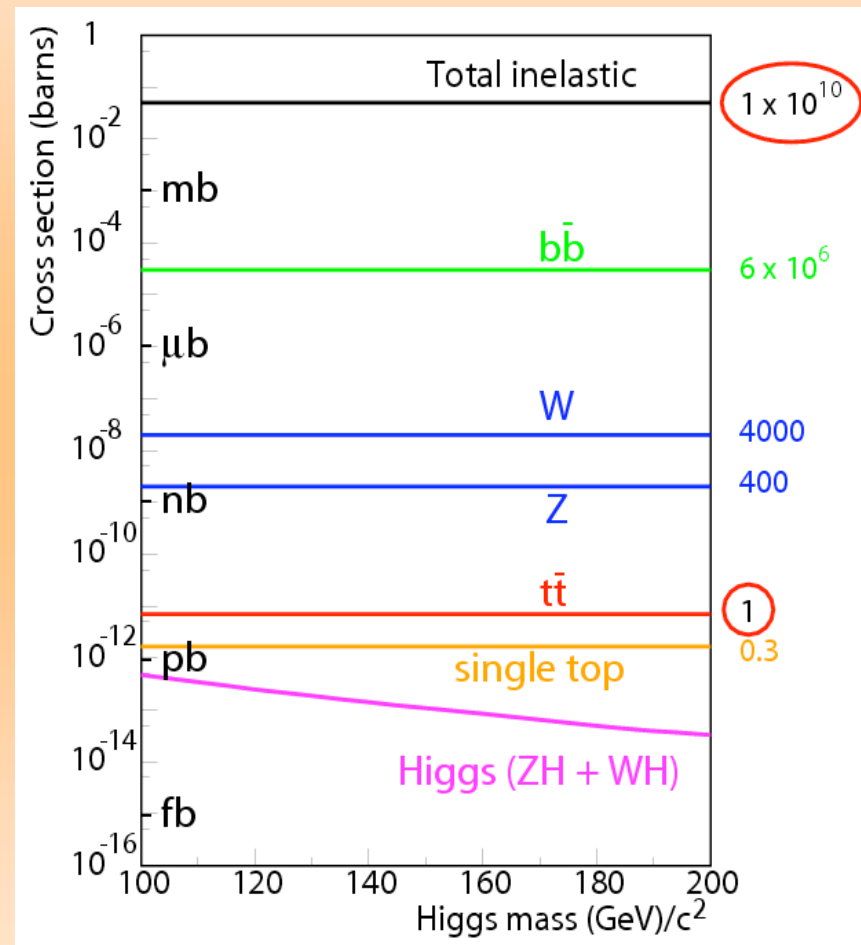
- Inner Silicon Precision Tracking
- Tracking Chambers
- Solenoid
- EM and HAD calorimeters
- Muon Detectors

All crucial
for ewk and
top physics!

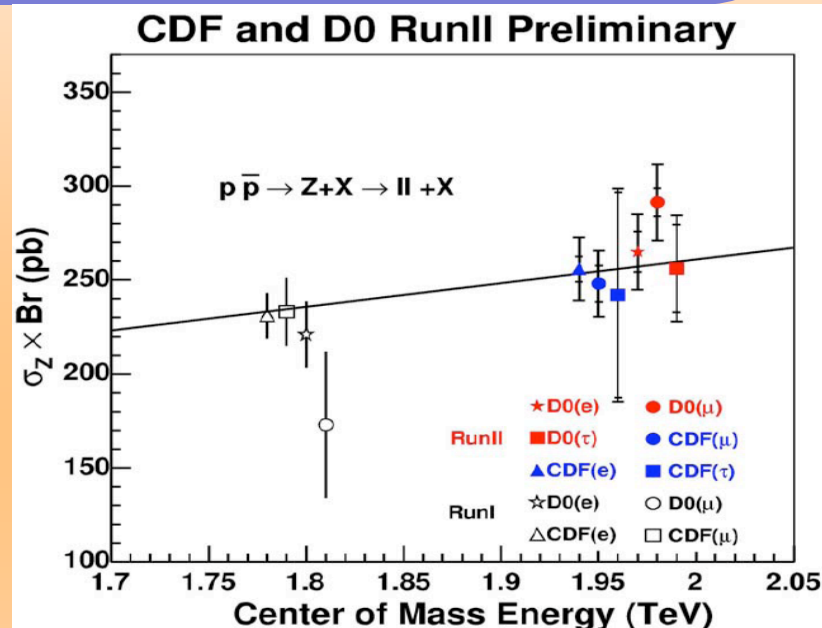
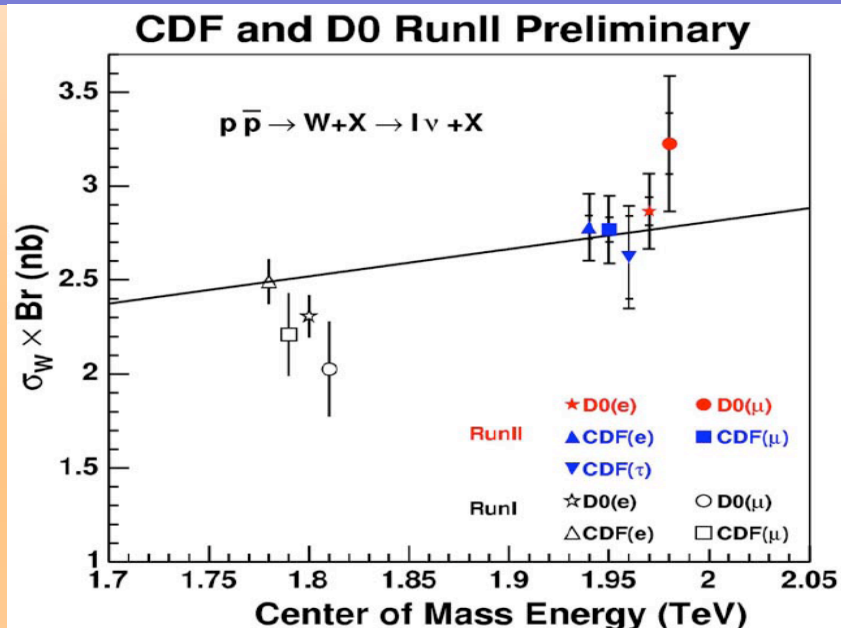


Production Cross Sections at Tevatron

- Cross sections for various physics processes vary over many orders of magnitude
- One top pair produced every 10^{10} inelastic collisions
- Physics processes of interest buried under heavy backgrounds
- Need good rejections factors, event selection, analysis strategy



Inclusive W/Z Cross Sections



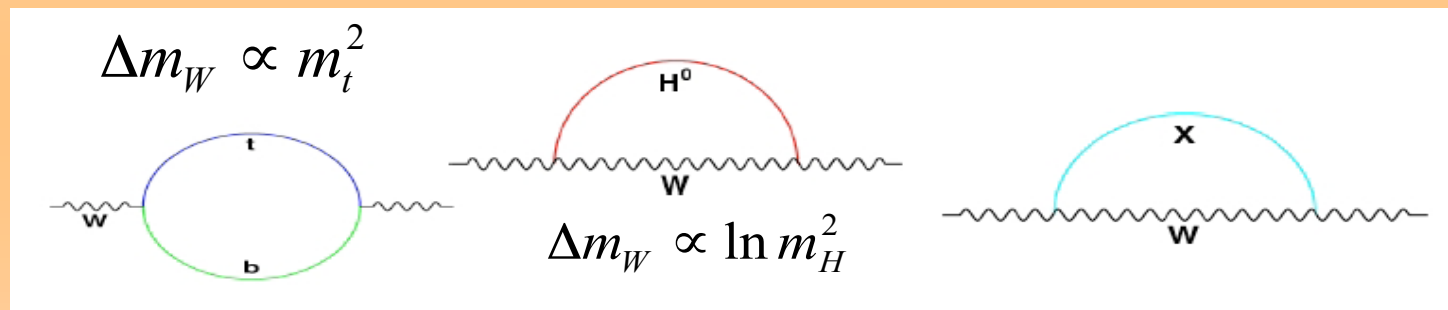
- Measured in all leptonic final states ($W \rightarrow e\nu, \mu\nu, \tau\nu$; $Z \rightarrow ee, \mu\mu, \tau\tau$)
- Good agreement with NNLO calculations (Stirling, Van Neereven)
- Measurements are dominated by luminosity uncertainty $\sim 6\%$ followed by PDF $\sim 2\%$

W Mass

- W mass is a fundamental parameter of SM

$$m_W^2 = \frac{\pi\alpha_{em}}{\sqrt{2}G_F \sin^2 \theta_W (1 - \Delta r)}$$

- Radiative corrections to M_W depend on M_{top} and M_{Higgs}
- W propagator includes H, tb, hypothetical new particle loops



- Precise knowledge of M_W and M_{top} constrains M_{Higgs}
- With ultimate precision also sensitive to possible exotic radiative corrections

W Mass Measurement



Detector Calibration:

Lepton Momentum Scale

- Internal tracker alignment with cosmic rays
- Curvature corrections from electron-positron E/P difference
- Calibration with $J/\psi, Y \rightarrow \mu\mu$
- Cross-check with $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$

Lepton Energy Scale

- Calibrated using E/p electron peak
- Cross-checked with $Z \rightarrow ee$

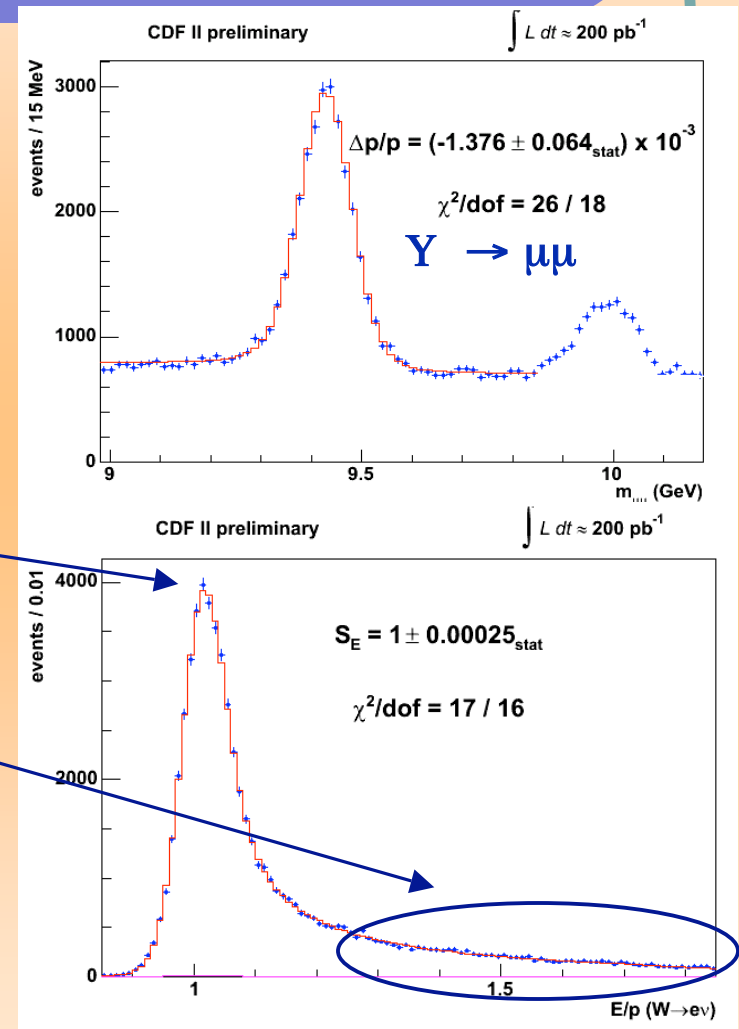
Detector Material Model

- Mapped energy loss and radiation lengths
- Calibrated to data

Recoil Response

- Calibrated with Z balancing

- W mass obtained from fits to lepton E_T , missing E_T and transverse mass distributions



W Mass Result



CDF II preliminary $L = 200 \text{ pb}^{-1}$

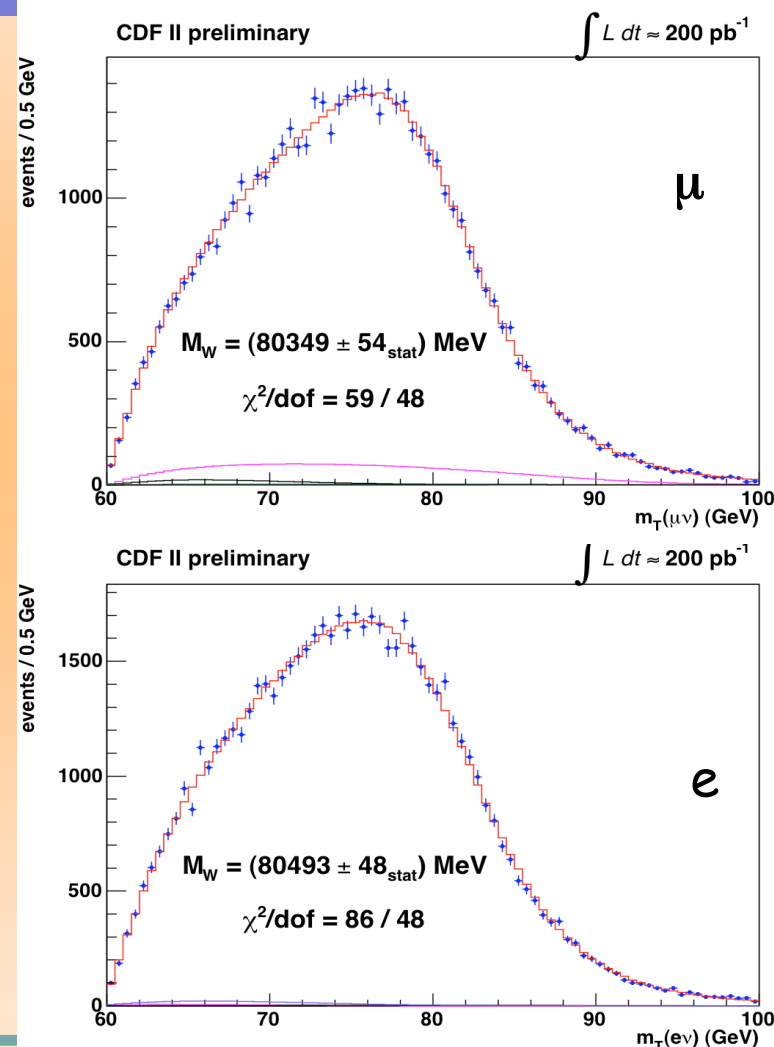
m_T Uncertainty [MeV]	Electrons	Muons	Common
Lepton Scale	30	17	17
Lepton Resolution	9	3	0
Recoil Scale	9	9	9
Recoil Resolution	7	7	7
$u_{ }$ Efficiency	3	1	0
Lepton Removal	8	5	5
Backgrounds	8	9	0
$p_T(W)$	3	3	3
PDF	11	11	11
QED	11	12	11
Total Systematic	39	27	26
Statistical	48	54	0
Total	62	60	26

$$M_W = 80413 \pm 48 \text{ MeV}$$

$$80413 \pm 34 \text{ (stat)} \pm 34 \text{ (syst)}$$

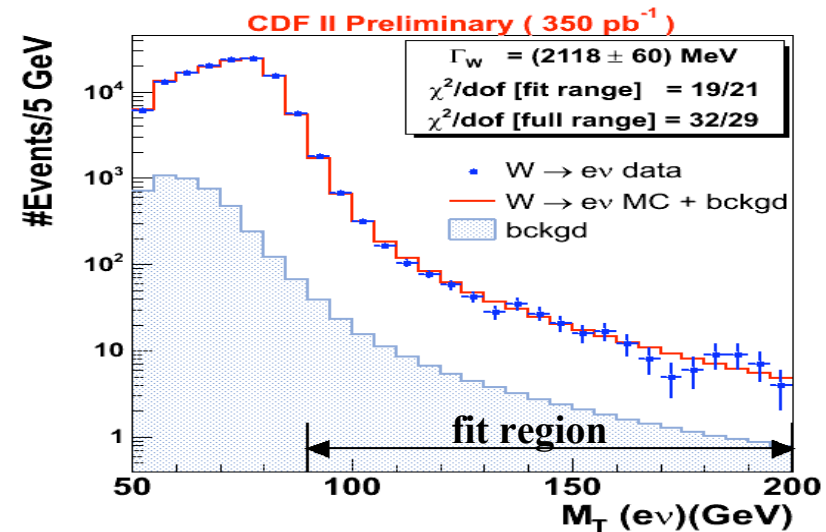
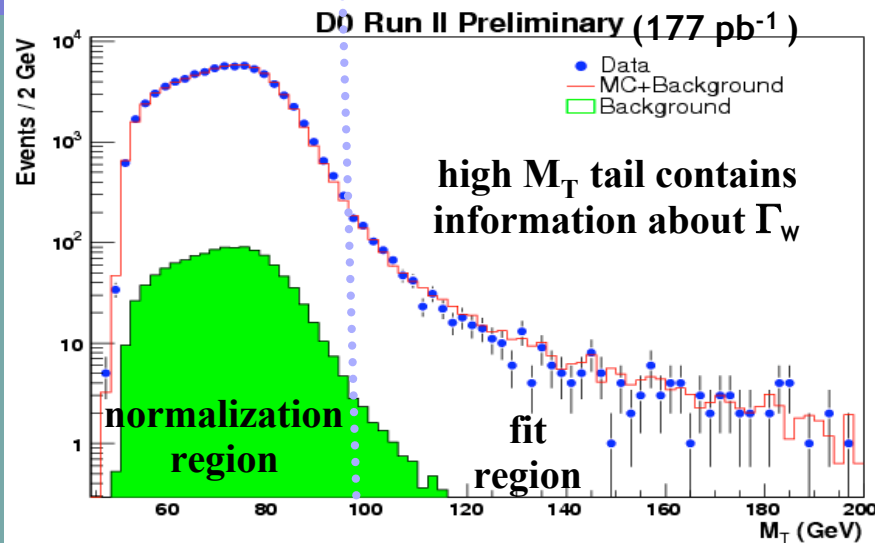
Single most precise measurement to date!

hep-ex/0707.0085





Direct Measurement of Γ_W



$$\Gamma_W [\text{DØ}(e)] = 2011 \pm 142 \text{ MeV}$$

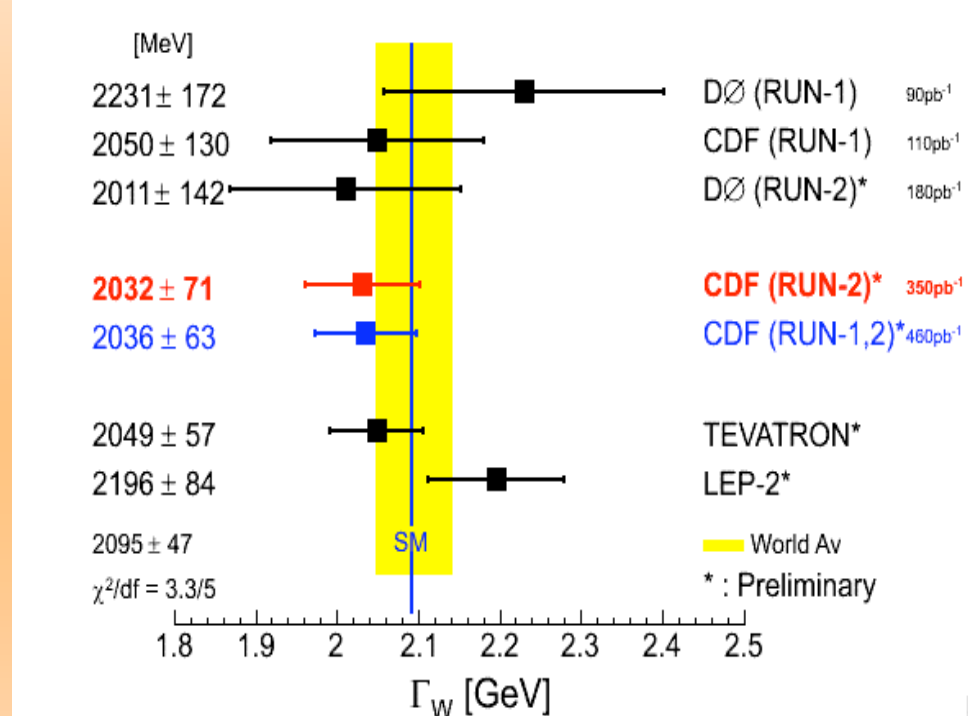
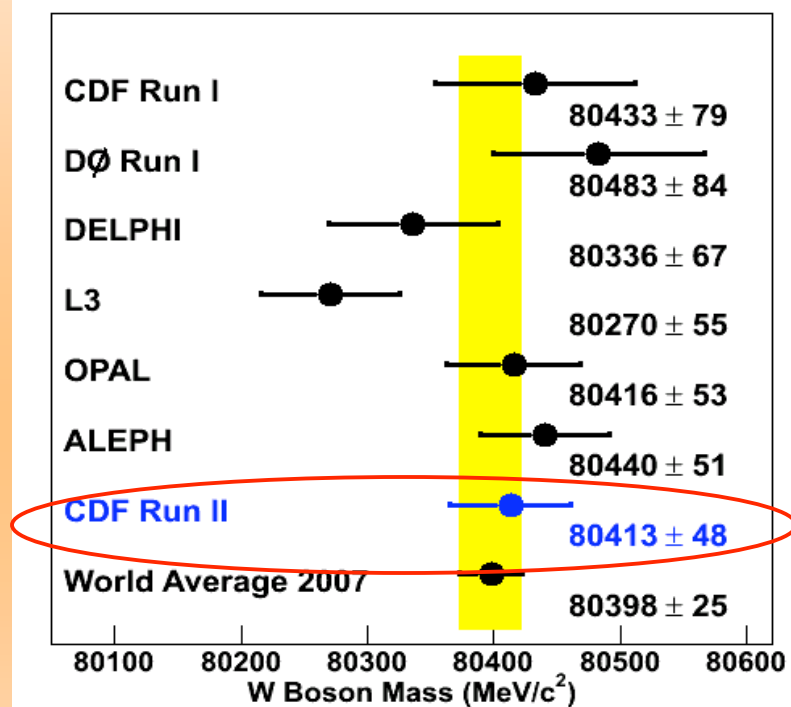
$$\Gamma_W [\text{CDF}(e+\mu)] = 2032 \pm 71 \text{ MeV}$$

CDF's Result is the world's most precise single direct measurement!

CDF Run II Preliminary (350 pb⁻¹)

	$\Delta\Gamma_W$ [MeV]		
	Electrons	Muons	Common
Lepton Scale	21	17	12
Lepton Resolution	31	26	0
Simulation	13	0	0
Recoil	54	49	0
Lepton ID	10	7	0
Backgrounds	32	33	0
$p_T(W)$	7	7	7
PDF	16	17	16
QED	8	1	1
W mass	9	9	9
Total systematic	78	70	23
Statistical	60	67	0
Total	98	97	23

M_W and Γ_W World Averages



With new CDF's most precise single results:

$M_W : 80392 \rightarrow 80398 \text{ MeV}$

$\Delta M_W : 29 \rightarrow 25 \text{ MeV}$

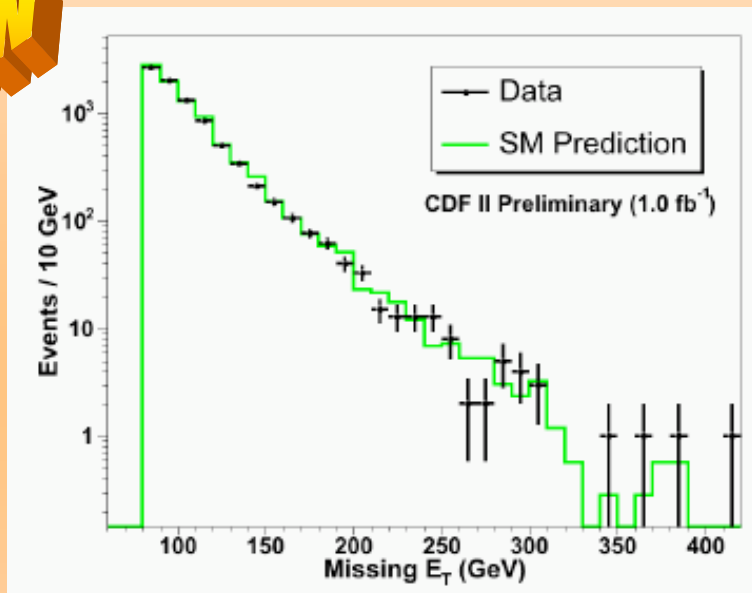
$\Gamma_W : 2139 \rightarrow 2095 \text{ MeV}$

$\Delta \Gamma_W : 60 \rightarrow 47 \text{ MeV}$



Z Boson Invisible Width

New



- Interpret the result of no excess in “monojet” + large missing ET extra dimensions search

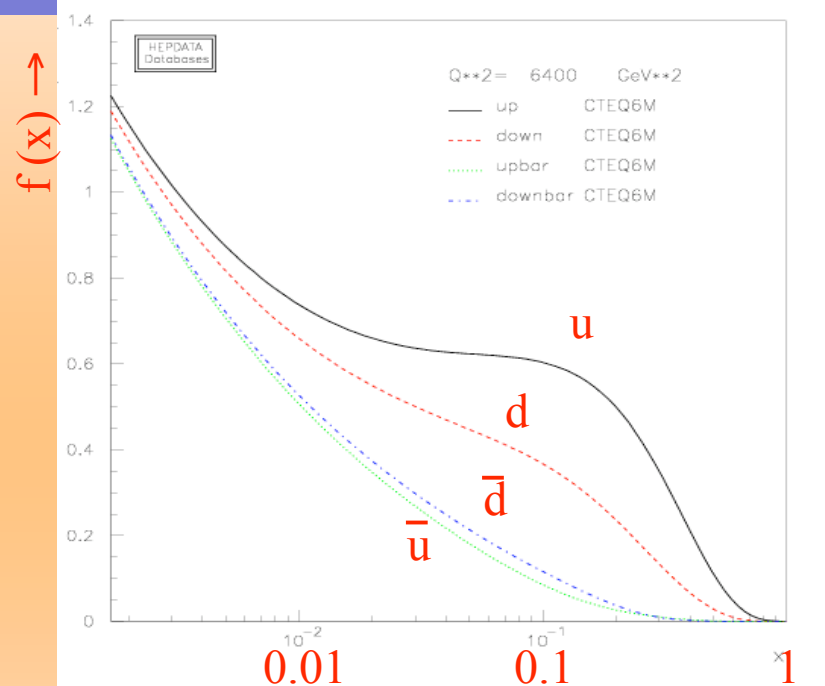
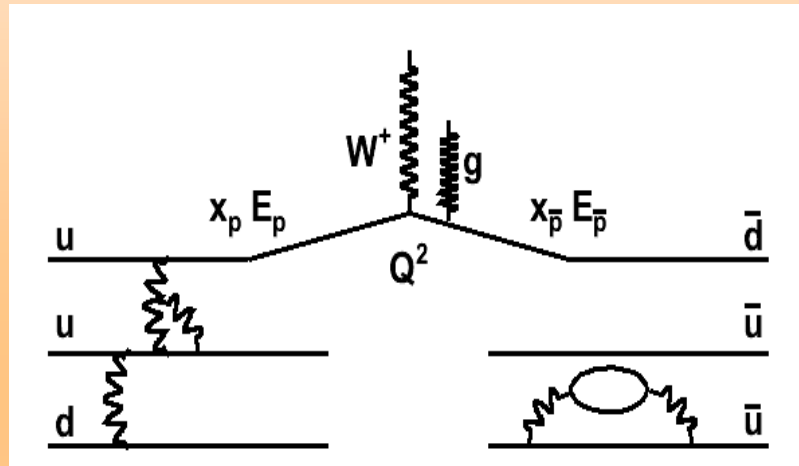
$$\Gamma_Z(\text{inv}) = \frac{\sigma(Z+1\text{jet}) \times \text{Br}(Z \rightarrow \nu\nu)}{\sigma(Z+1\text{jet}) \times \text{Br}(Z \rightarrow \ell\ell)} \times \Gamma_Z(\ell\ell)$$

LEP

$$\Gamma_{Z \text{ inv.}} = 466 \pm 42 \text{ MeV}$$

Experiment	$\Gamma(Z \rightarrow \text{invisible})$ [MeV]
CDF	466 +/- 42
L3	498 +/- 17
OPAL	539 +/- 31
ALEPH	450 +/- 48
LEP Combined	503 +/- 16
LEP Indirect	499.0 +/- 1.5

QCD Boson Production and Parton Distribution Functions



$$\sigma = \sum_{ab} \int dQ \delta(Q - 2E_p \sqrt{x_p x_{p'}}) \int dx_p f_a(x_p, Q) \int dx_{p'} f_b(x_{p'}, Q) \hat{\sigma}(Q)$$

Sum over
quarks, gluons

Kinematic
constraint

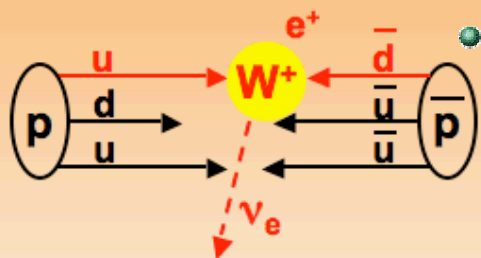
Parton distribution
functions

Calculable hard
scattering cross
section

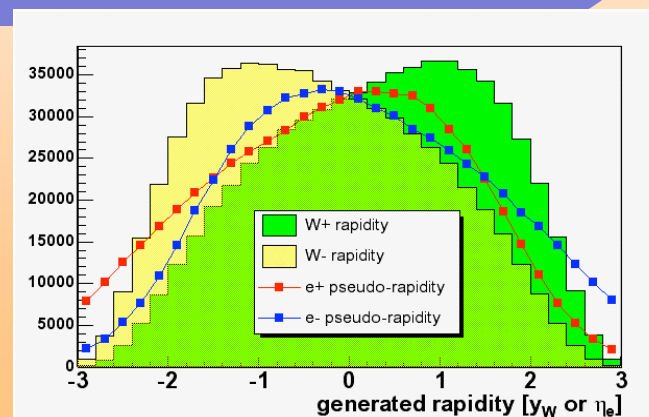
Parton momentum
fraction within the proton
depends on quark type and
is different for valence and
sea quarks



W Charge Asymmetry

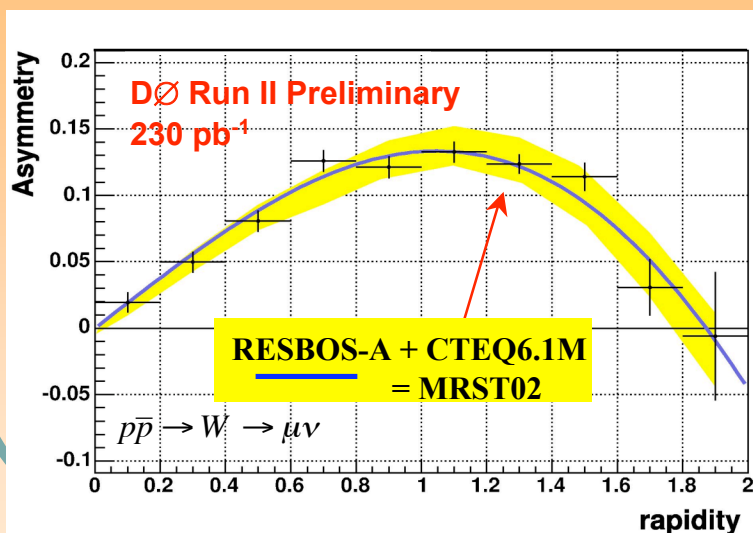


W boson exhibit a production asymmetry due to the different PDF of u and d quarks in the proton

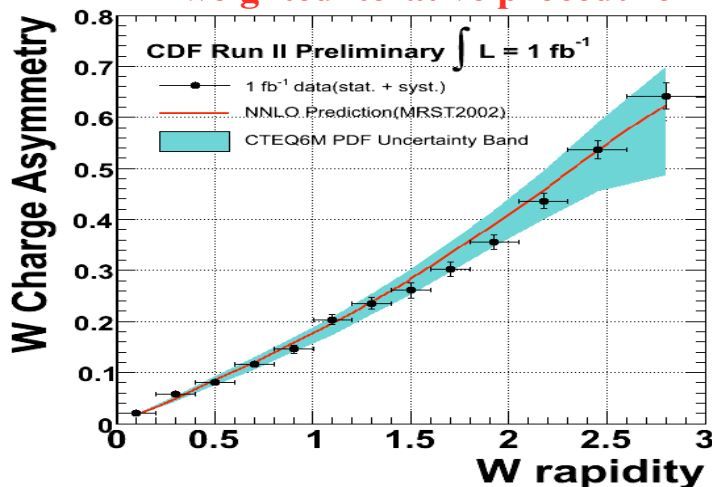


Measure a lepton charge asymmetry, use the W mass constraint, weigh solutions based on

- W production mechanism ($d\sigma/dy$)
- V-A structure of W decay $(1 \pm \cos\theta^*)^2$



CDF significantly increases sensitivity to PDF by reconstructing W rapidity directly with a weighted iterative procedure



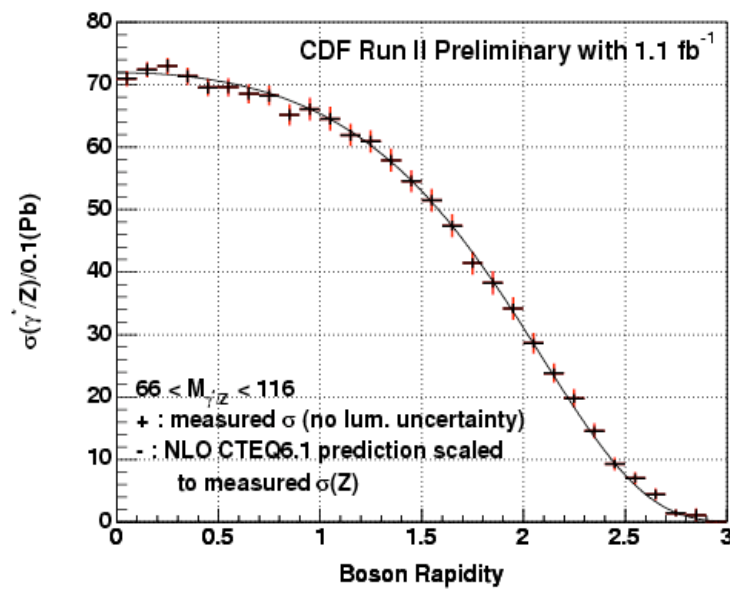
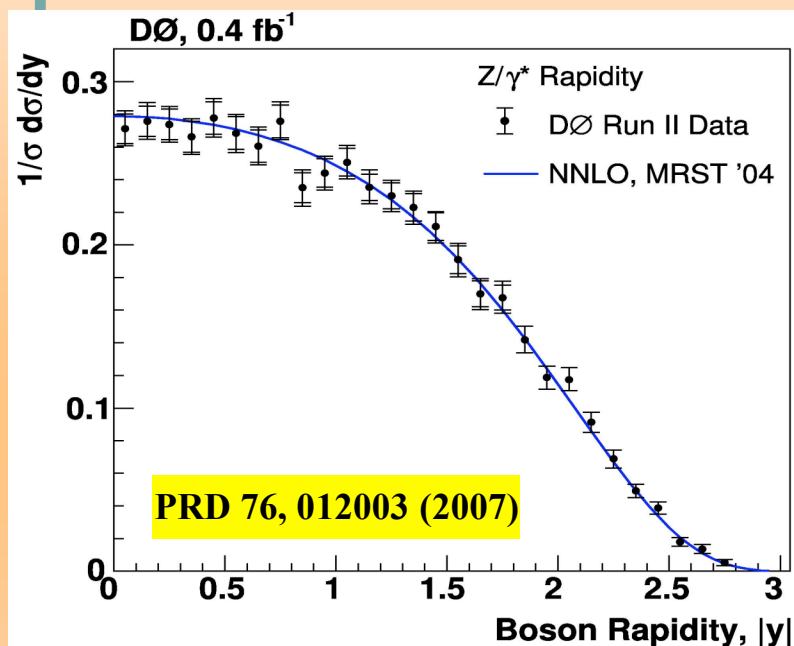
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Drell-Yan $Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow e^+e^-$ $d\sigma/dy$ Differential Cross Section



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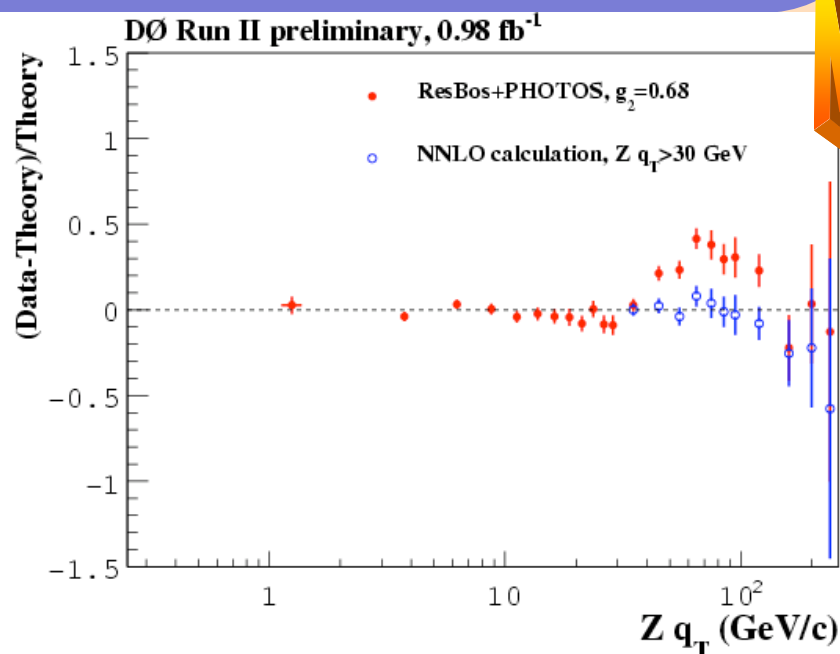
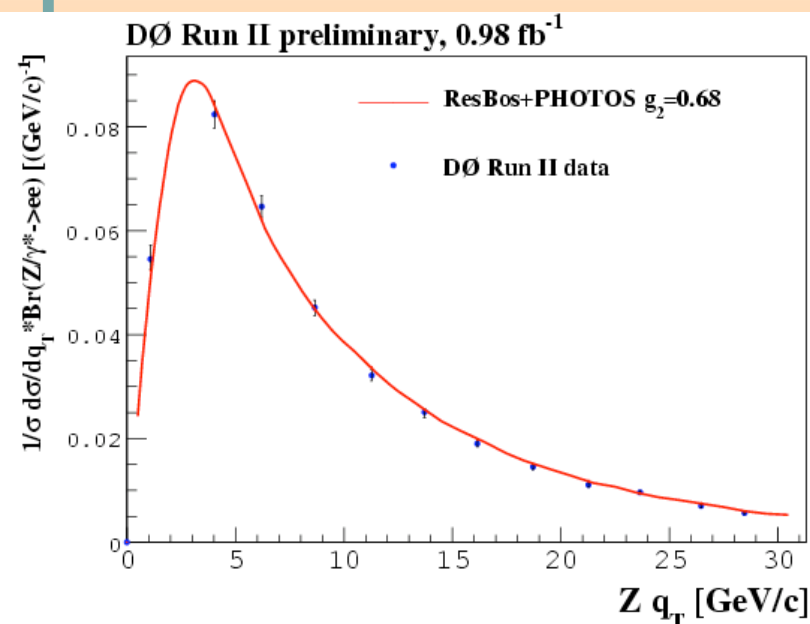


- Measurement probes the small x , high Q^2 portion of the PDFs
- Good agreement with theory
- Measurement can be used to constrain PDFs.



Drell-Yan $Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow e^+e^-$ $d\sigma/dq_T$ Differential Cross Section

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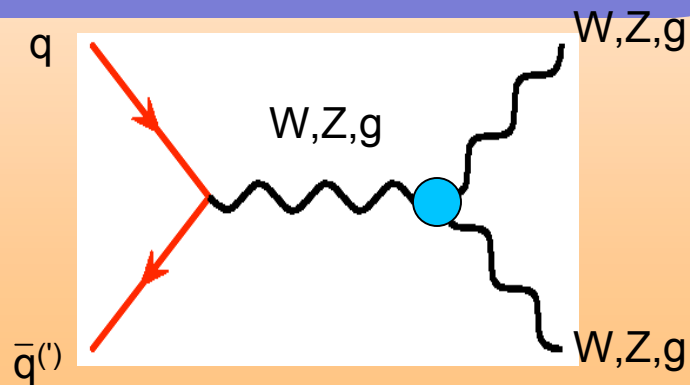
- At high- q_T ($> 20 \text{ GeV}$) dominated by radiation of a single parton described by perturbative QCD (NNLO)
- At low- q_T reliably predicted by soft gluon resummation (CSS)
- The parametrization of Z boson q_T spectrum used to reduce uncertainties in the W mass measurement

J. Collins, D. Soper, G. Strean,
Nucl. Phys. B250 (1985) 199

Dibosons / WW Production

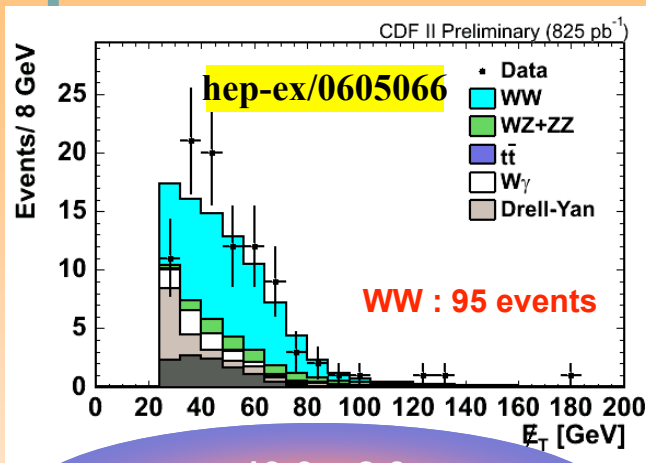


- Probe non-Abelian nature of $SU(2)_L \otimes U(1)_Y$ via gauge boson self-interactions (triple, quartic)
- The Tevatron (ppbar) is sensitive to different combinations of tri-linear gauge couplings than LEP (e^+e^-) and explores higher s
- Intermediate step towards SM Higgs searches



$q\bar{q}' \rightarrow W^* \rightarrow W\gamma : WW\gamma$ only
 $q\bar{q}' \rightarrow W^* \rightarrow WZ : WWZ$ only
 $q\bar{q} \rightarrow Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow WW : WW\gamma, WWZ$
 $q\bar{q} \rightarrow Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow Z\gamma : ZZ\gamma, Z\gamma\gamma$
 $q\bar{q} \rightarrow Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow ZZ : ZZ\gamma, ZZZ$

Absent in SM

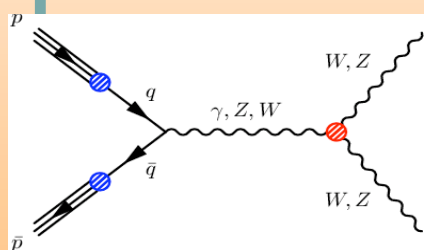


$\sigma_{WW} = 13.6 \pm 2.3$ (stat)
 ± 1.6 (syst) ± 1.2 (lumi) pb

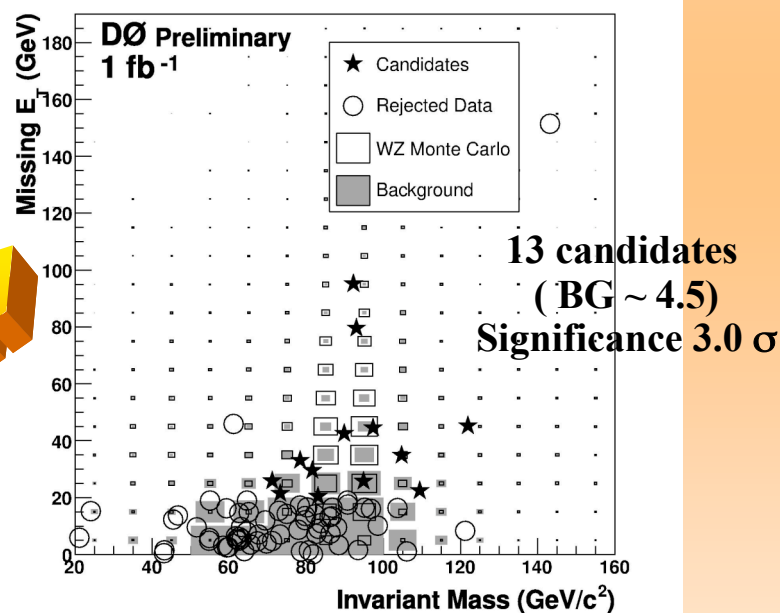
In good agreement with NLO theory: 12.4 ± 0.8 pb



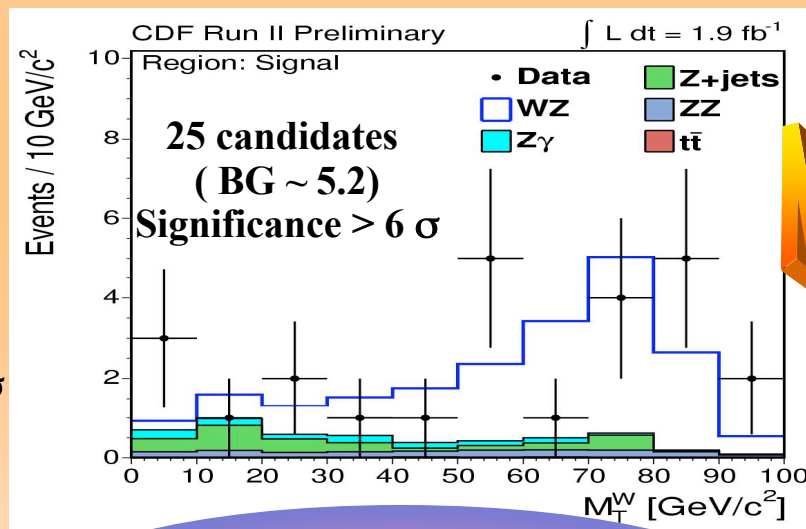
WZ Production



- s-channel provides sensitivity to WWZ vertex coupling
- CDF: Increased sensitivity due to significant improvement in lepton acceptance
- DØ: Use Z p_T distribution to set tightest limits on anomalous couplings



$$\sigma_{WZ} = 2.7^{+1.7}_{-1.5} \text{ pb}$$



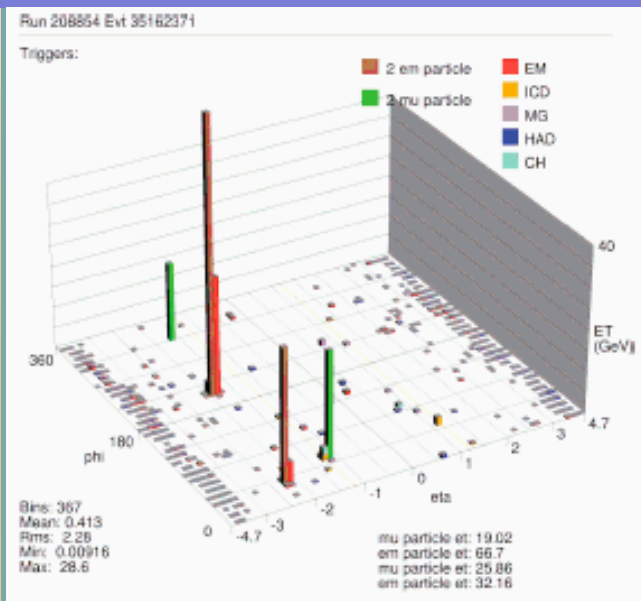
$$\sigma_{WZ} = 4.3^{+1.3}_{-1.0} \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.2 \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.3 \text{ (lumi) pb}$$

In good agreement with NLO theory: $3.7 \pm 0.3 \text{ pb}$

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First hints of ZZ



• NLO: $\sigma = 1.6 \pm 0.1$ pb

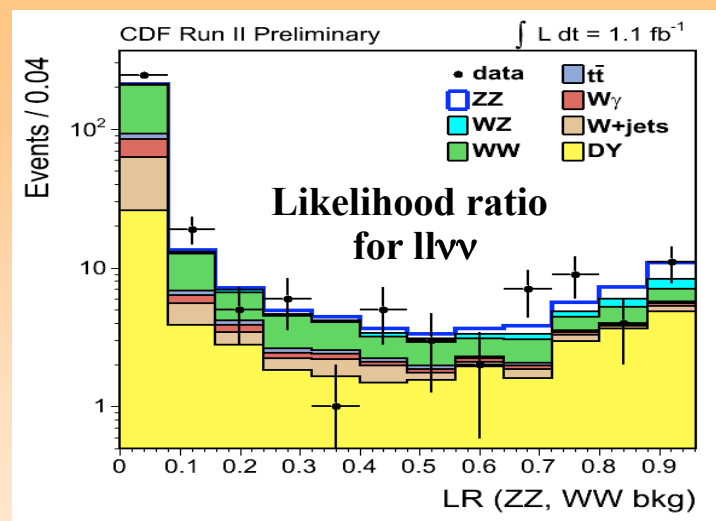
J. M. Campbell R. K. Ellis
PRD60 (1999)

• DØ: 1 $ee\mu\mu$ candidate, expected ~ 1.5:

$$\sigma(ZZ) < 4.3 \text{ pb (95\%CL)}$$

- CDF combined 4l and $ll\nu\nu$ channels:
 - CDF: Observed 1 $ee\mu\mu$ candidate; expect ~2.5
 - Significance $> 3 \sigma$

$$\sigma(ZZ) = 0.75^{+0.71}_{-0.54} \text{ pb}$$

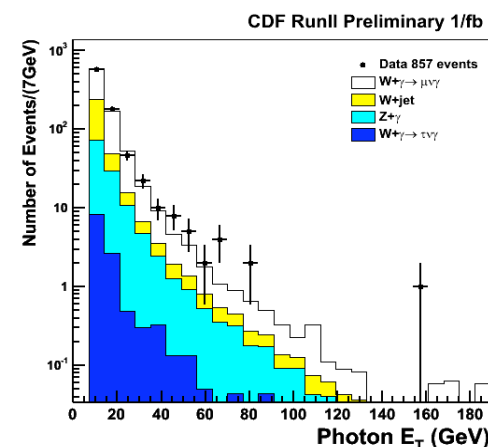
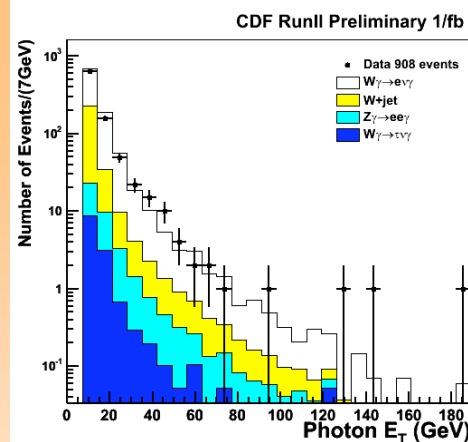
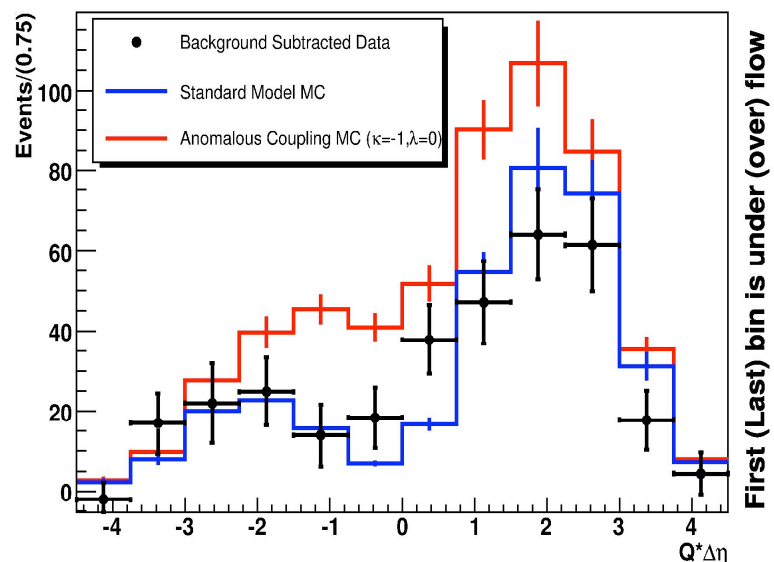
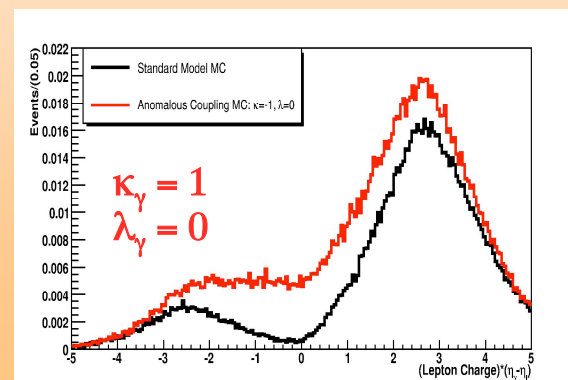




W γ Production



- DØ: Radiation Amplitude Zero
- Due to interference of tree-level diagrams the angle between W and incoming quark is $\cos(\theta^*) = -(1+2Q_d) = \pm 1/3$
- Measure a dip in η_{lepton}
- In the alternative model a set of anomalous WW γ couplings produces a zero magnetic dipole moment for W



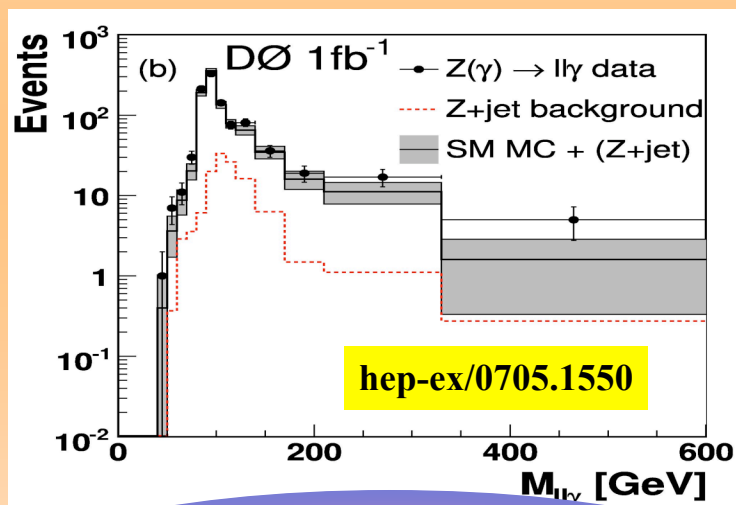
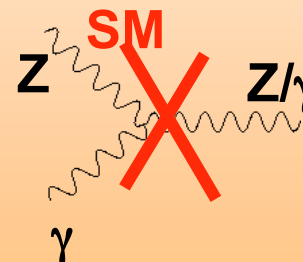
$$\sigma[\text{CDF}]_{W\gamma} = 18.0 \pm 2.8 \text{ pb} \\ (\text{E}_{T,\gamma} > 7 \text{ GeV}, \Delta R_{(l,\gamma)} > 0.7)$$



Z γ Production



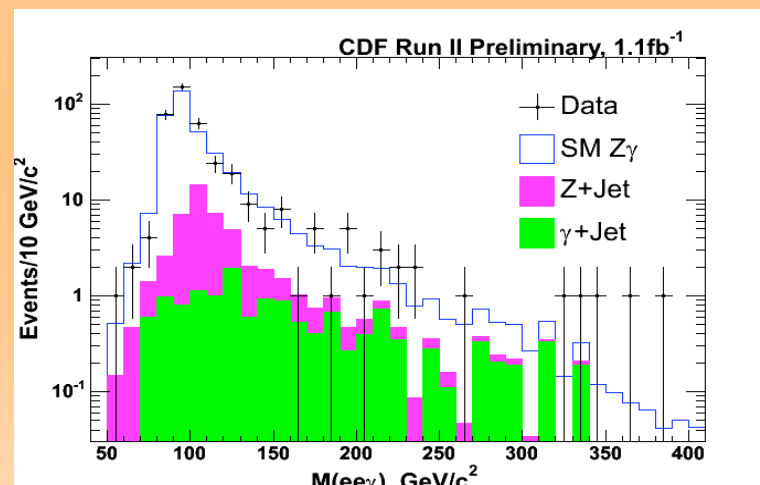
- SM: No Triple Gauge Coupling at tree level
- DØ: Set tightest limits on Z γ anomalous couplings
- h₄₀ limits surpass LEP



$$\sigma_{Z\gamma} = 4.96 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.3 \text{ (lumi) pb}$$

($E_{T,\gamma} > 7 \text{ GeV}$, $\Delta R_{(l,\gamma)} > 0.7$, $M_{ll} > 30 \text{ GeV}$)

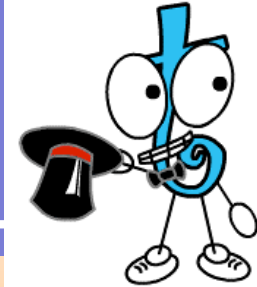
In good agreement with theory: $4.7 \pm 0.4 \text{ pb}$



$$\sigma_{Z\gamma} = 4.9 \pm 0.5 \text{ pb}$$

($E_{T,\gamma} > 7 \text{ GeV}$, $\Delta R_{(l,\gamma)} > 0.7$,
 $M_{ee\gamma} > 40 \text{ GeV}$)

Top quark



L E P T O N S			
Charge			
0	Electron neutrino Mass: 0?	Muon neutrino 0?	Tau neutrino 0?
-1	Electron .511	Muon 105.7	Tau 1,777
Q U A R K S			
Charge			
+2/3	Up Mass: 5	Charm 1,500	Top ~180,000
-1/3	Down 8	Strange 160	Bottom 4,250

Mass in millions of electron volts

TOP
~175 GeV

- Discovered in 1995 at Tevatron
- Unexpectedly huge mass

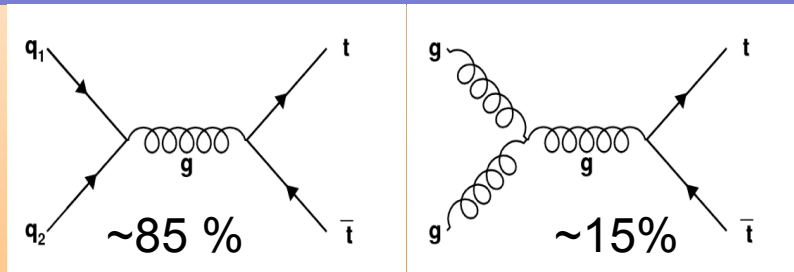
$$y_t = \frac{\sqrt{2}m_t}{v} \approx 1$$

- Special role in the dynamics of EWSB ?
- Serves as a probe of BSM physics

$$\tau_{\text{top}} \sim 10^{-24} \text{ s}, \quad \Gamma^{-1} \approx (1.5 \text{ GeV})^{-1} \ll \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^{-1} \sim (200 \text{ MeV})^{-1}$$

- Decays before hadronizing
- Passes momentum and spin info to its decay products

Top Quark Pair Production and Decay



NLO:

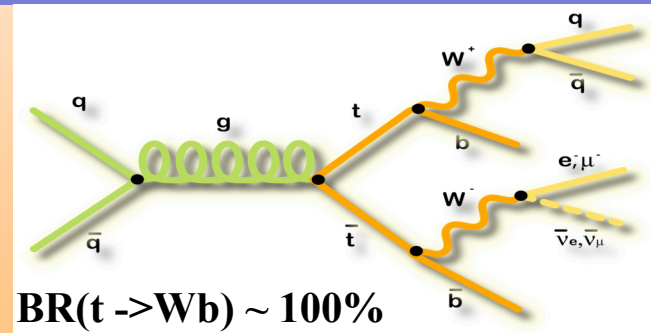
$$\sigma_{tt} = 6.7 \pm_{0.9}^{0.7} \text{ pb @ } m_{\text{top}} = 175 \text{ GeV}$$

Cacciari et al. JHEP 0404:068(2004)

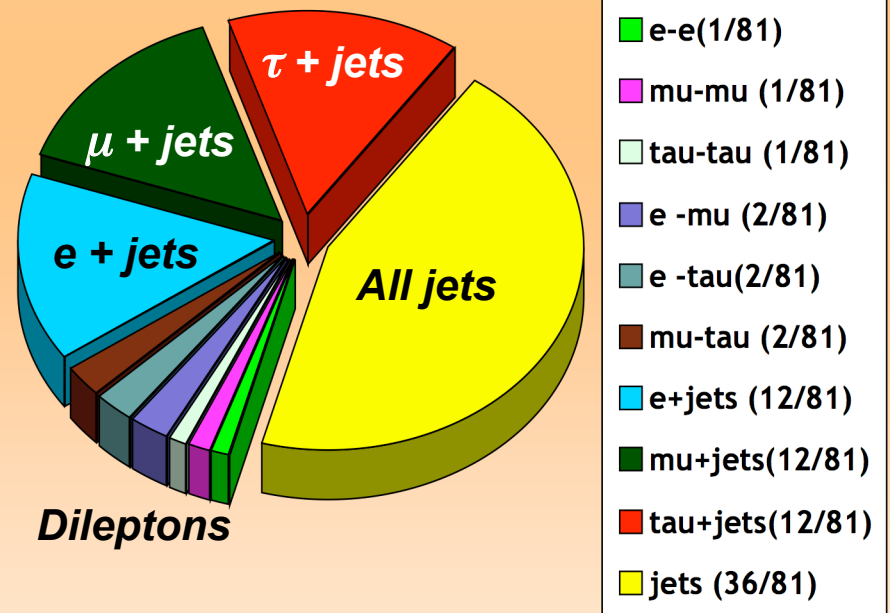
Kidonakis, Vogt PRD 68 114014(2003)

Event Classification (by W decay)

- “Lepton $[e, \mu]$ + jets” (30%)
 - $tt \rightarrow b\bar{\nu}bq\bar{q}'$
- “Dilepton $[e, \mu]$ ” (5%)
 - $tt \rightarrow b\bar{\nu}b\bar{\nu}$
- “All jets” (44%)
 - $tt \rightarrow b\bar{q}q'b\bar{q}q'$
- “Tau + X” (21%)



$\text{BR}(t \rightarrow Wb) \sim 100\%$



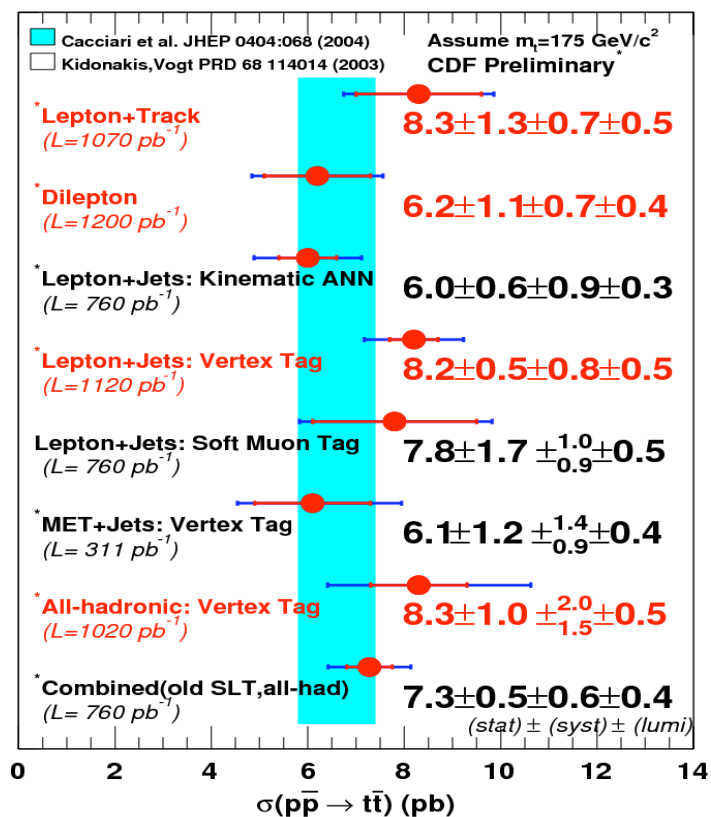
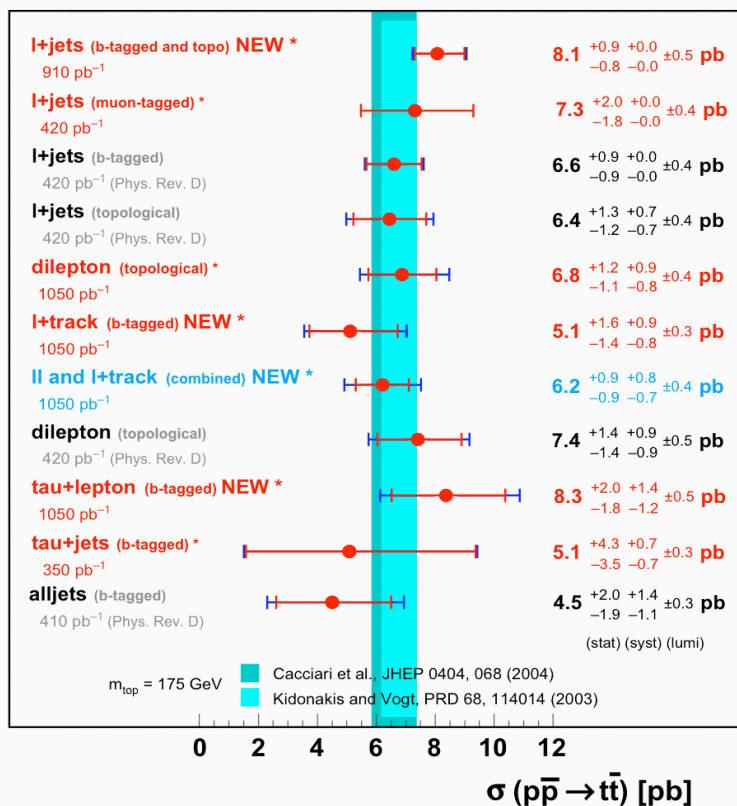


$\sigma_{t\bar{t}}$ Measurements



DØ Run II * = preliminary

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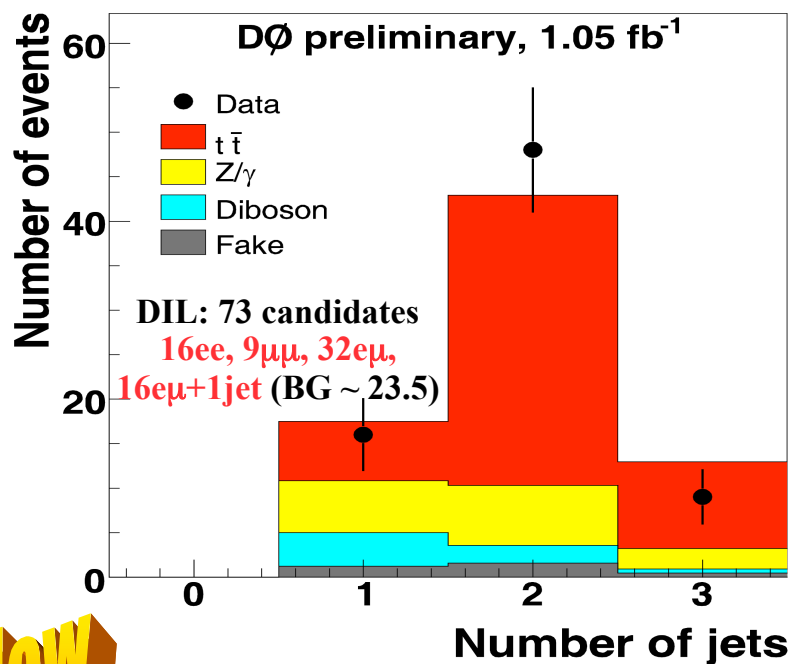
- Important indirect test of top quark properties
- Testing non-standard model top production mechanisms
- Top sample might contain an admixture of exotic processes



Cross Section in Dilepton channel

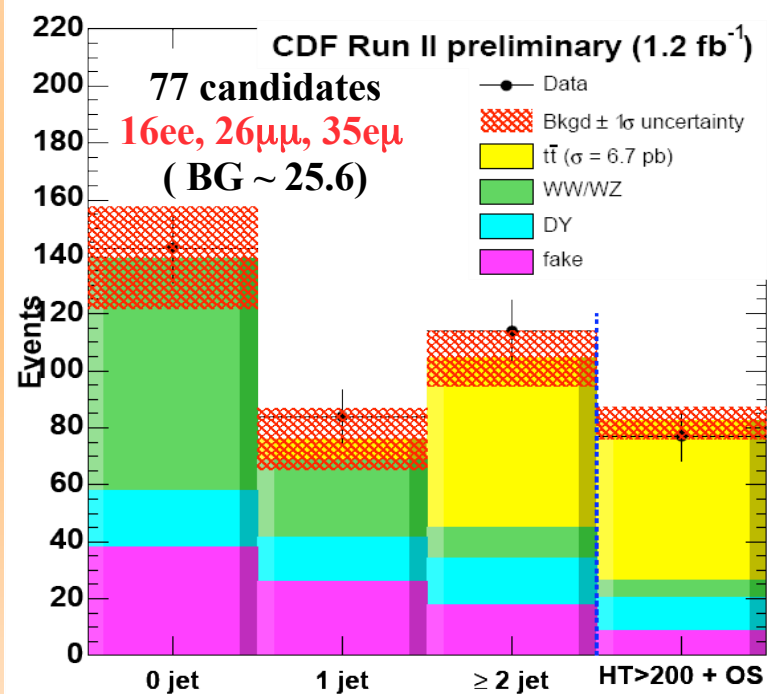


- Signature: high- P_T ee , $\mu\mu$, $e\mu$, missing E_T , ≥ 2 jets
- DØ: ≥ 1 jet in $e\mu$ channel, measurement combined with l +track



New

$$\sigma_{t\bar{t}} = 6.2 \pm 0.9 \text{ (stat)} \\ \pm 0.8 \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.4 \text{ (lumi) pb}$$



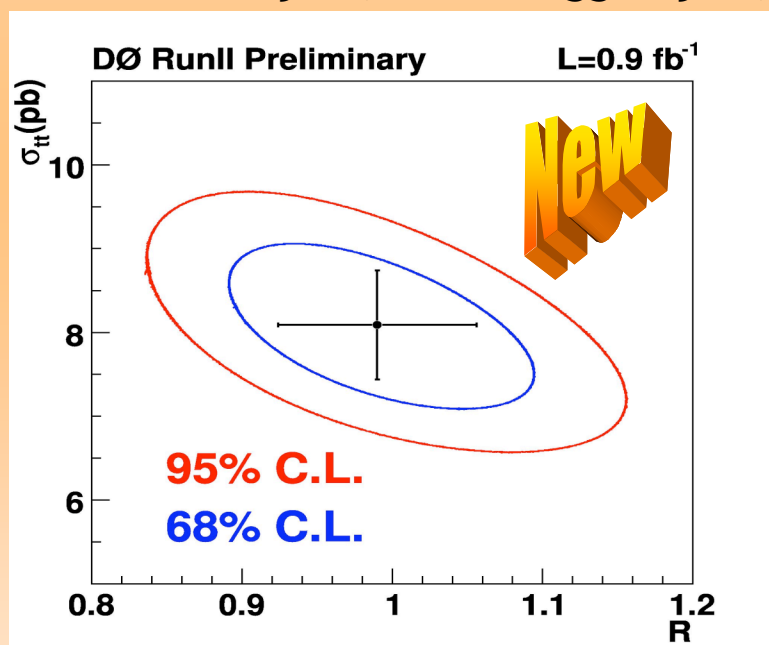
$$\sigma_{t\bar{t}} = 6.2 \pm 1.1 \text{ (stat)} \\ \pm 0.7 \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.4 \text{ (lumi) pb}$$



Lepton+jets cross section

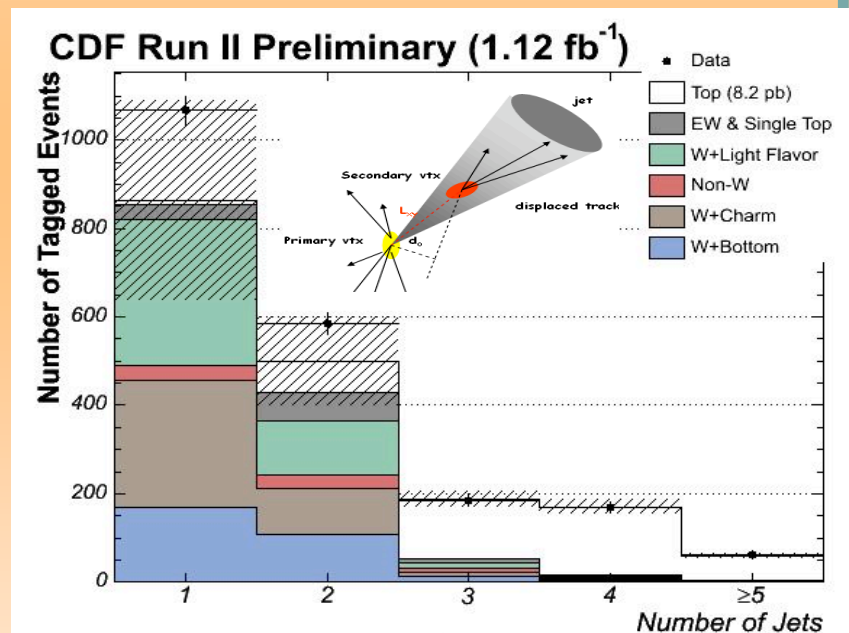


- Signature: high-PT isolated e OR μ , missing E_T ,
- DØ: ≥ 3 jets, separate events depending on # of b-tagged jets (displaced vertex), measure simultaneously with $R = \text{BR}(t \rightarrow Wb) / \text{BR}(t \rightarrow Wq)$
- CDF: ≥ 3 jets, ≥ 1 b-tagged jet, $\sum p_T > 250$ GeV



$$\sigma_{tt} = 8.1 \pm 0.9 \text{ (stat+syst)} \pm 0.5 \text{ (lumi) pb}$$

$$R > 0.812 \text{ @ 95\% CL}$$

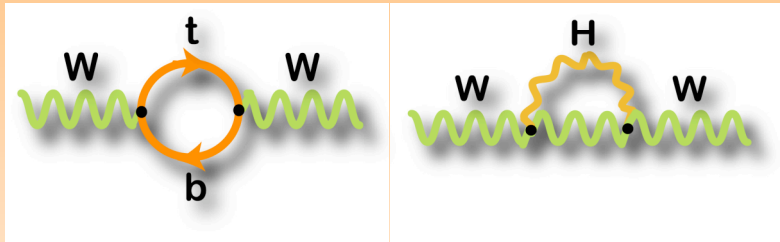


$$\sigma_{tt} = 8.5 \pm 0.5 \text{ (stat)}$$

$$\pm 0.8 \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.5 \text{ (lumi) pb}$$

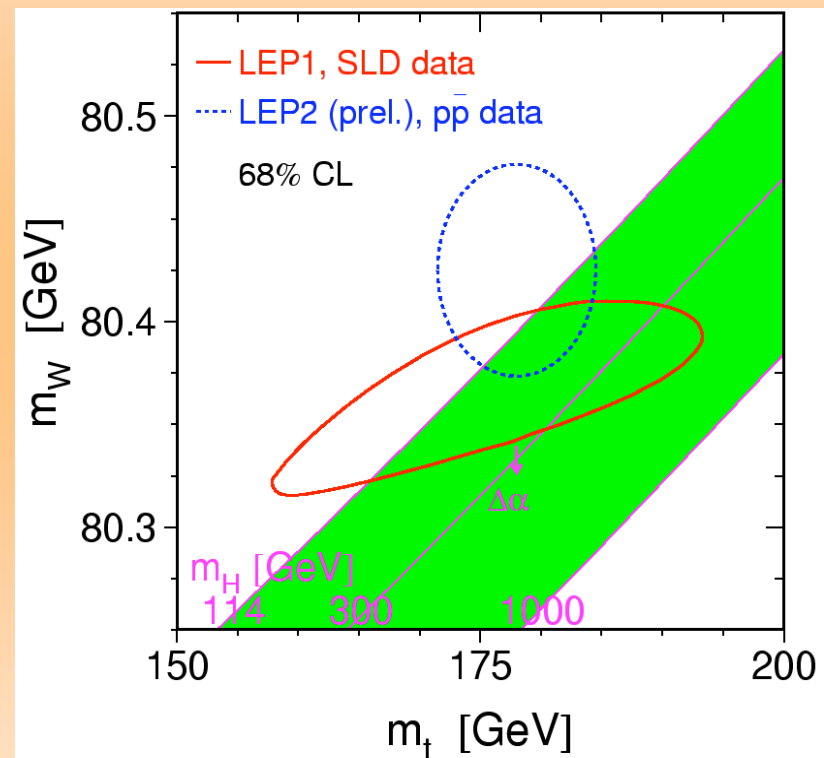
Top mass relation to Higgs

- Top quark mass is a fundamental parameter of SM
- Radiative corrections to SM predictions dominated by top mass
- Together with W mass places a constraint on Higgs mass

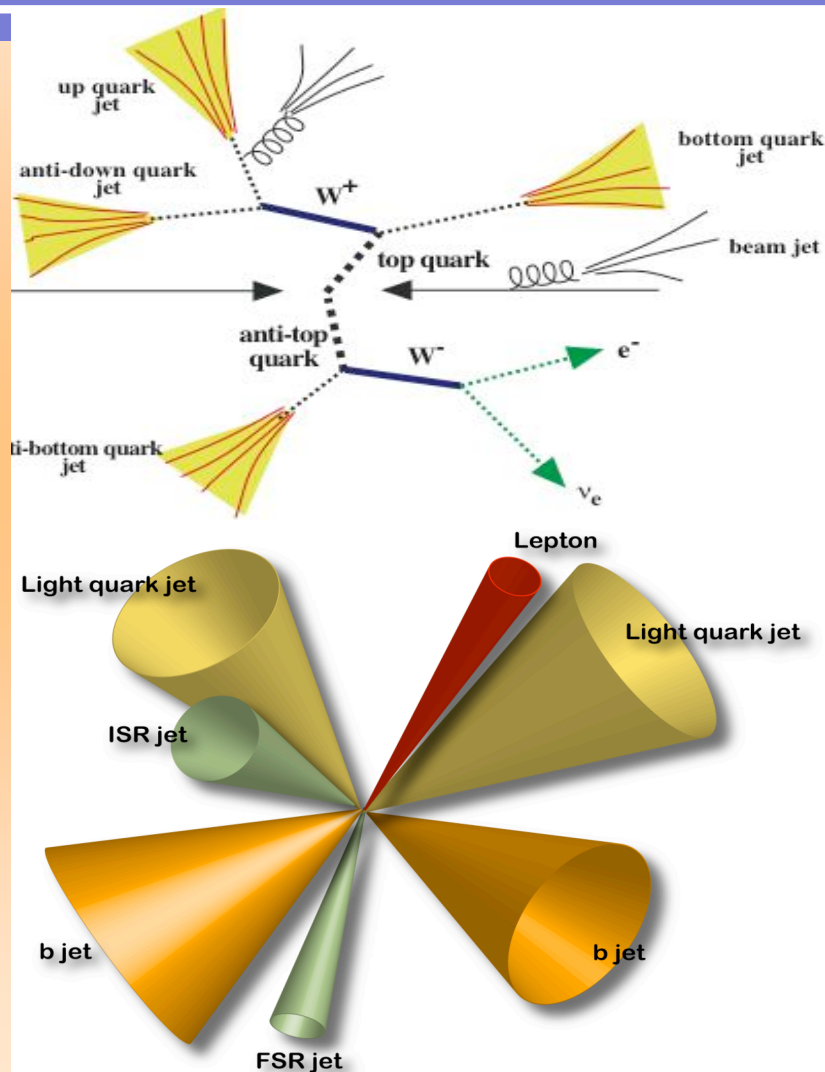


$$\Delta m_W \propto m_t^2$$

$$\Delta m_W \propto \ln m_H^2$$



Top Mass Measurement



- **Kinematic reconstruction**

- Use invariant mass constraints
 $m(jj) = m_W, m(\ell\nu) = m_W, m(\ell\nu b) = m(jjb)$
- Match the jet to the correct parton
- Extra jets spoil the picture

- **Energy Scale Calibration**

- Reconstruction of the measured jet energies to the parton level

- **Sophisticated Analysis Techniques**

- Kinematic fits, Matrix Elements, etc

- **Jet Energy Calibration in situ**

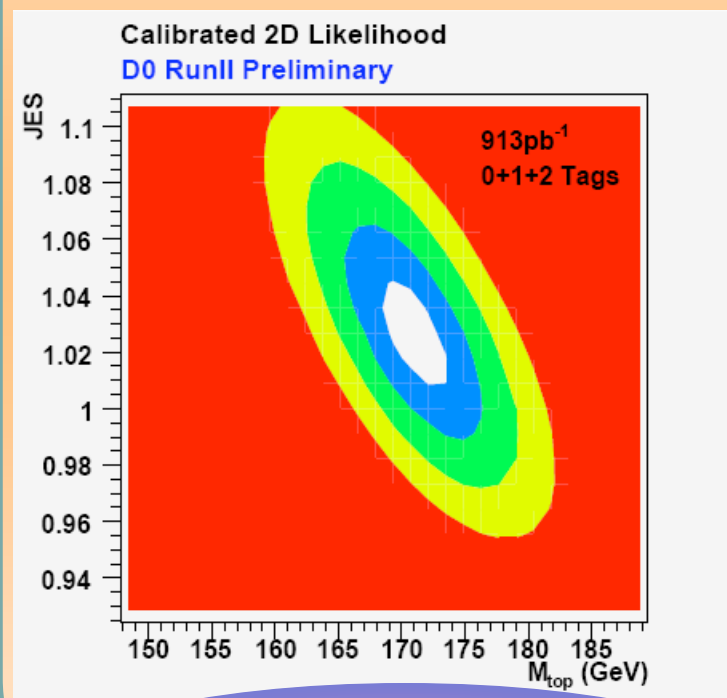
- Simultaneous fit to invariant mass of $W \rightarrow jj$
- An internal constraint on the error of the jet energy scale
- Reduces systematic uncertainty



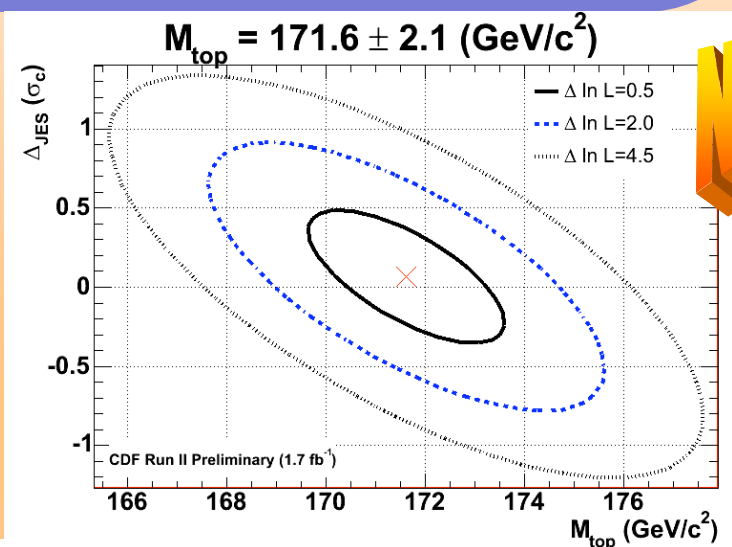
Best Top Mass Results in Lepton+jets channel



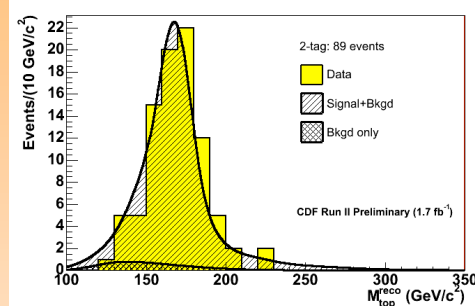
- Exceeding original Run II expectations because of in-situ jet energy scale calibration



$$M_{\text{top}} = 170.5 \pm 2.4 \text{ (stat+JES)} \pm 1.2 \text{ (syst) GeV}$$



New



$$M_{\text{top}} = 171.6 \pm 2.1 \text{ (stat+JES)} \pm 1.1 \text{ (syst) GeV}$$

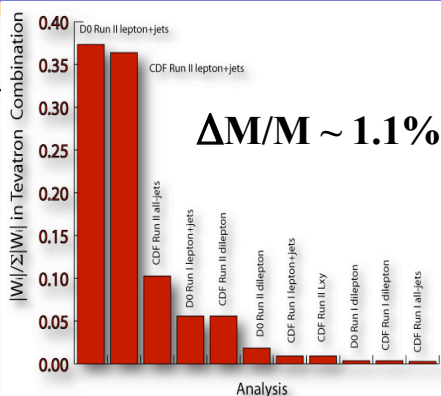
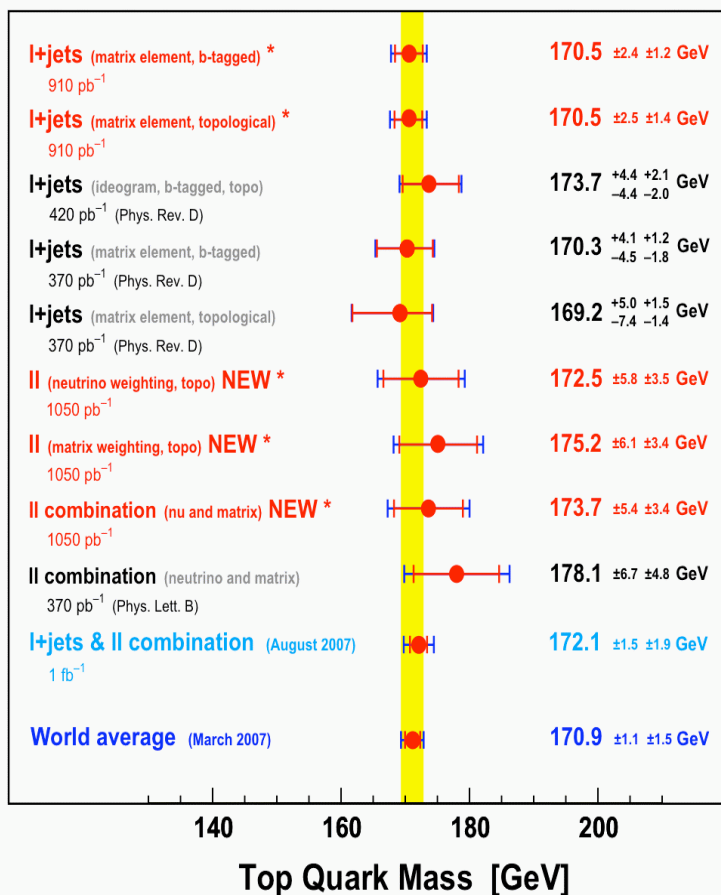


Top Mass Results



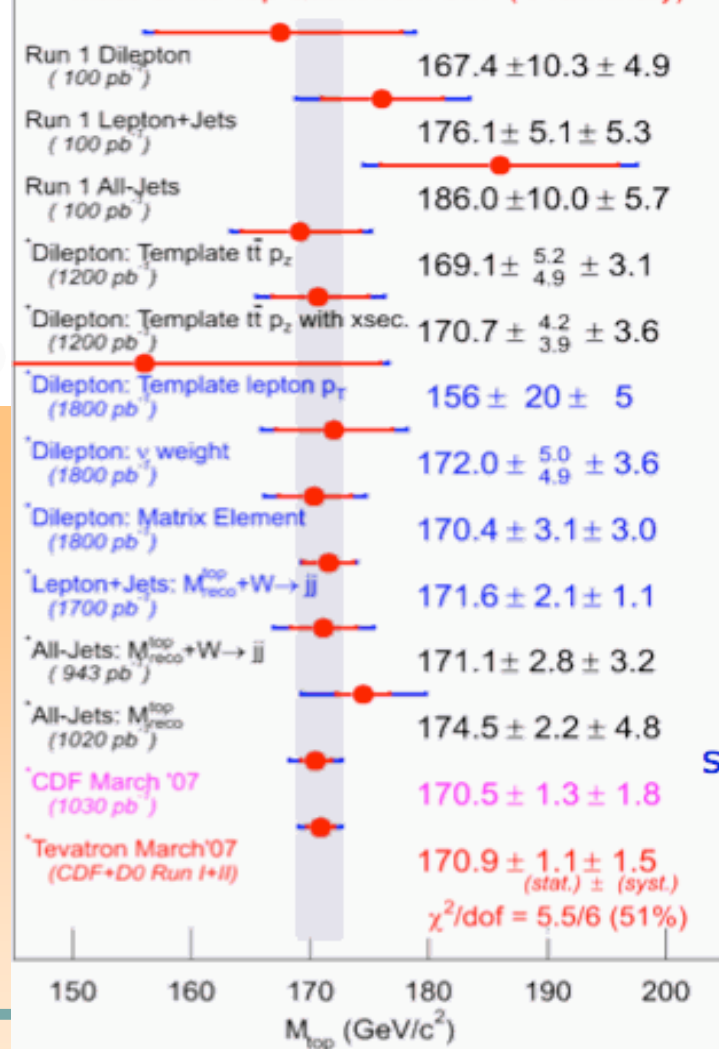
DØ Run II * = preliminary

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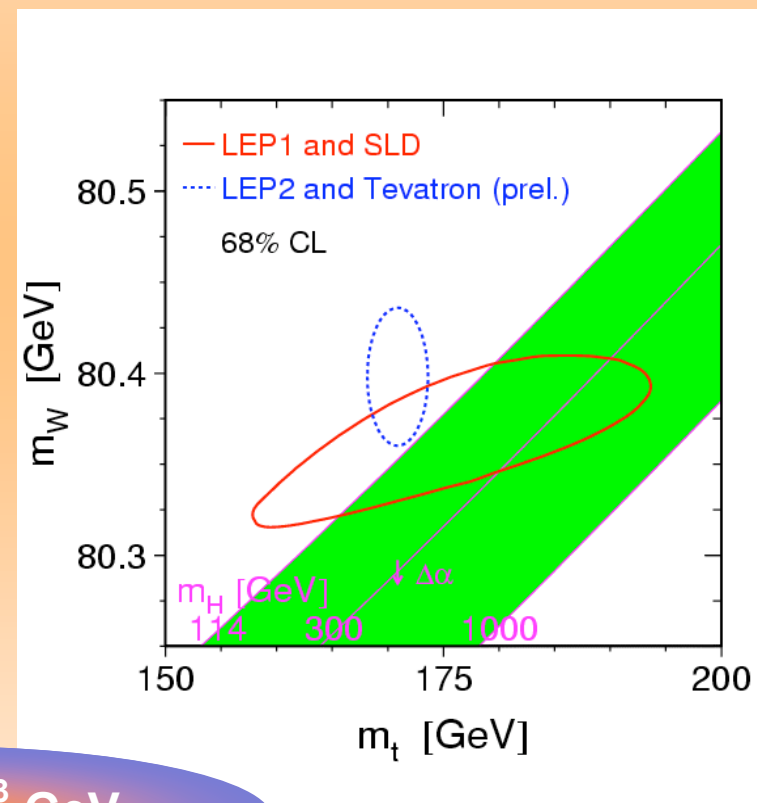
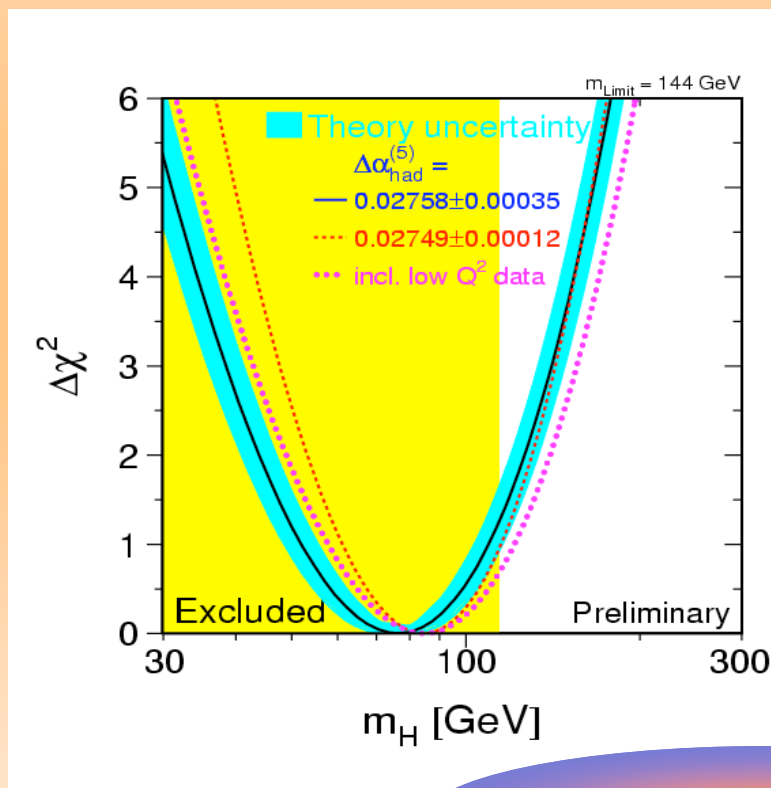
- Start addressing effects, too small to have an impact in first measurements
- Reconsider what theoretical aspects are relevant at 1 GeV level

Mass of the Top Quark from CDF (*Preliminary)



Indirect bounds on the Higgs

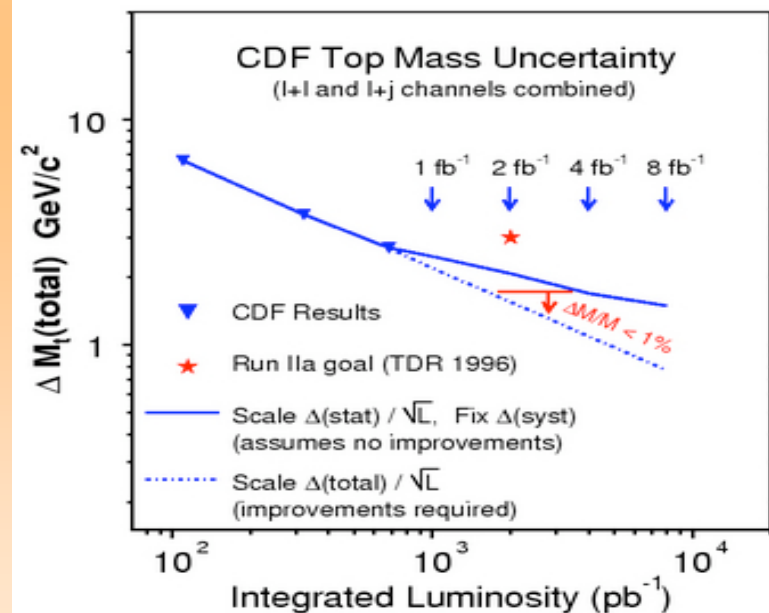
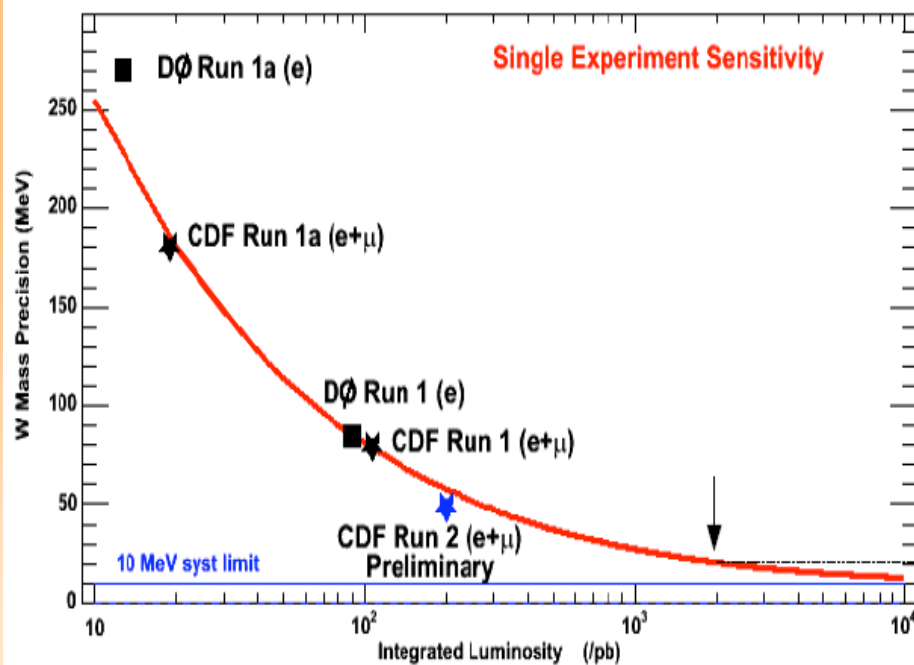
- Latest measurements of top mass push the most likely value of the Higgs boson deeper into the excluded region



$$M_{\text{higgs}} = 76.5^{+33}_{-24} \text{ GeV}$$

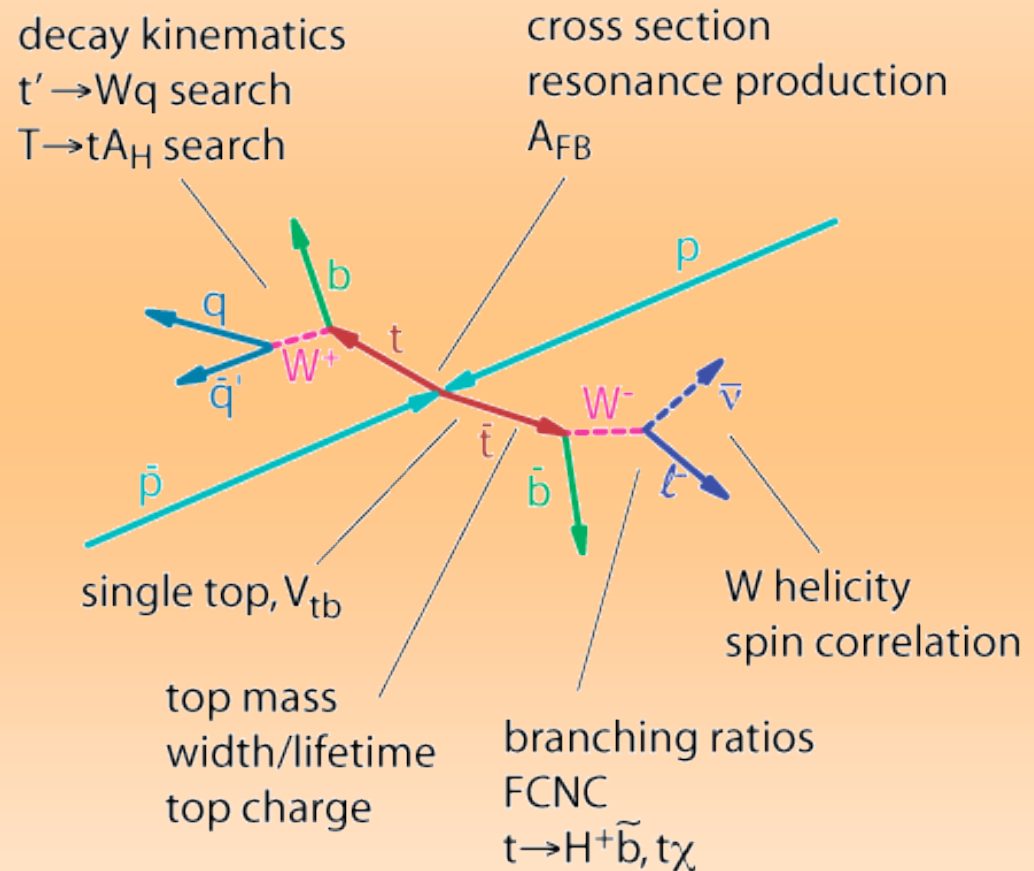
Mass Measurements Prospects

- Both for M_W and M_{top} Tevatron has done better than predicted
- Expect to get down to $< 1\%$ uncertainty on top mass for CDF alone and $\sim 1.0\text{-}1.2\text{ GeV}$ for CDF+DØ combined
- By the end of Run II W boson mass expected to be known with 20-25 MeV precision (0.02%)



Top Properties

- Tevatron performs very rich top physics program
- Many top properties measurements just beginning to have sensitivity
- Lots about top still to understand!

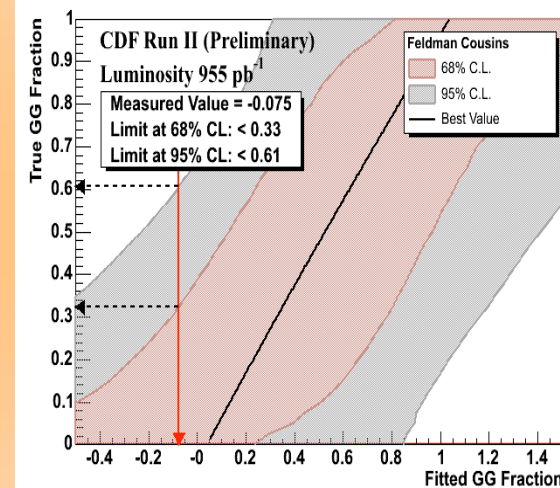
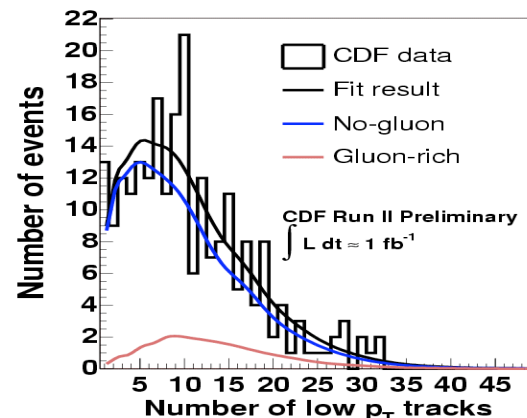
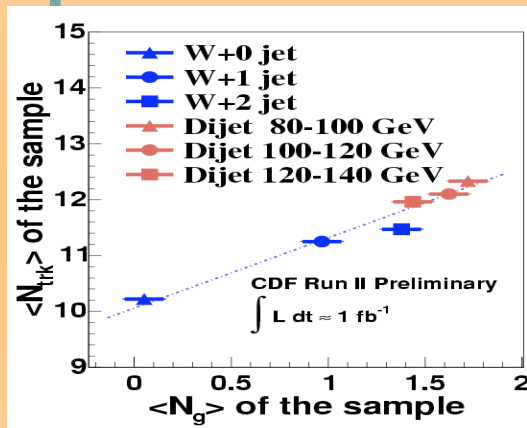


$\sigma(gg \rightarrow tt)/\sigma(pp \rightarrow tt)$ Measurement



G. L. Kane and S. Mrenna
PRL 77: 3502-3505 (1996)

- Test of pQCD
- May reveal existence of unknown tt production and top quark decay mechanisms (top quark from gluino decays, and decays to stops)



- Make use of $\langle N_{trk} \rangle$ (low-PT) vs $\langle N_g \rangle$ correlation
- Calibrate in W+jets and dijet data
- Fit W+jets b-tagged data to gluon-rich (dijet 80-100 GeV) and no gluon (W+0jet) components

- gg ($q\bar{q}$) tt -bar events tend to be produced with unlike (like) spin.
- Use ANN to discriminate between both tt states and backgrounds

$$\sigma(gg \rightarrow tt)/\sigma(pp \rightarrow tt) = 0.07 \pm 0.14(\text{stat}) \pm 0.07(\text{syst})$$

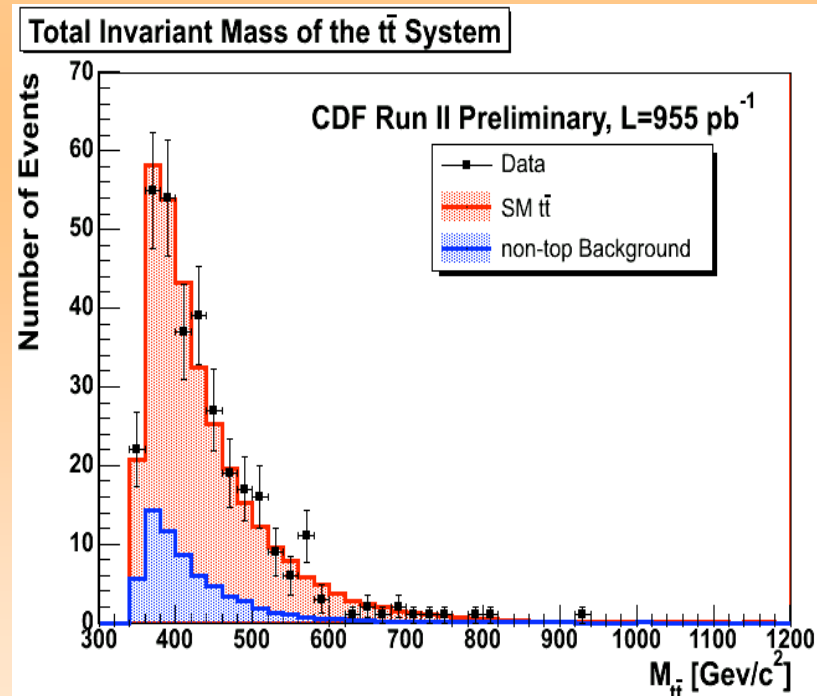
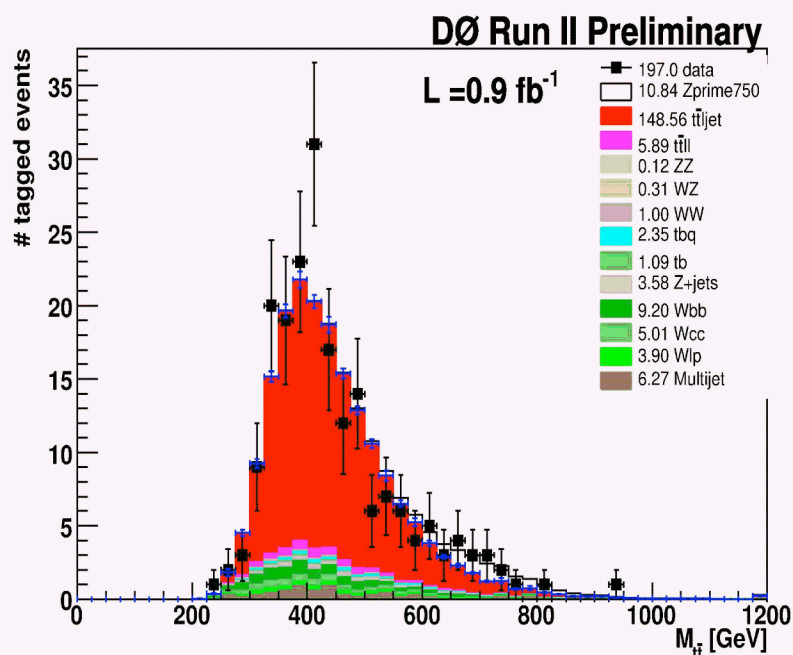
$$\sigma(gg \rightarrow tt)/\sigma(pp \rightarrow tt) < 0.61 @ 95\%CL$$



Search for Resonant Top Pair Production



- Resonant top pair production could arise of massive Z-like bosons (**Topcolor-Assisted Technicolor**) Hill, PRL B345, 483 (1995)
and other BSM theories Hill and Parke, PRD49, 4454 (1994)
- No evidence for resonance observed
- Limits on masses of various exotic particles being set



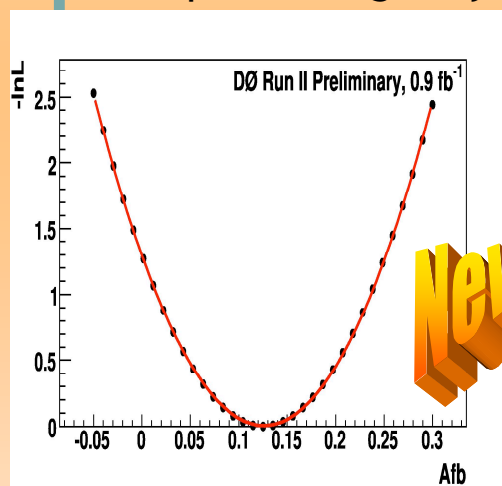


Forward-backward charge asymmetry in top pair production

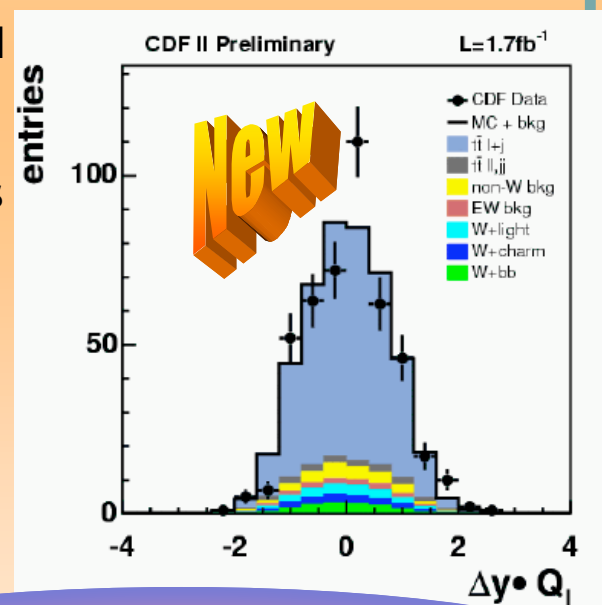


- NLO calculations predict forward-backward asymmetry of 4-6%
- Asymmetry arises from interference between contributions symmetric and antisymmetric under the exchange: top \rightarrow anti-top
- Top pairs in lepton + ≥ 4 jets channel are fully reconstructed
- Make use of Lorentz-invariant rapidity difference of top and anti-top times the lepton charge: $\Delta y \cdot Q_l$ variable

J.Kühn et al.
PRL 81, 49 (1998),
PRD 59, 054017 (1999)



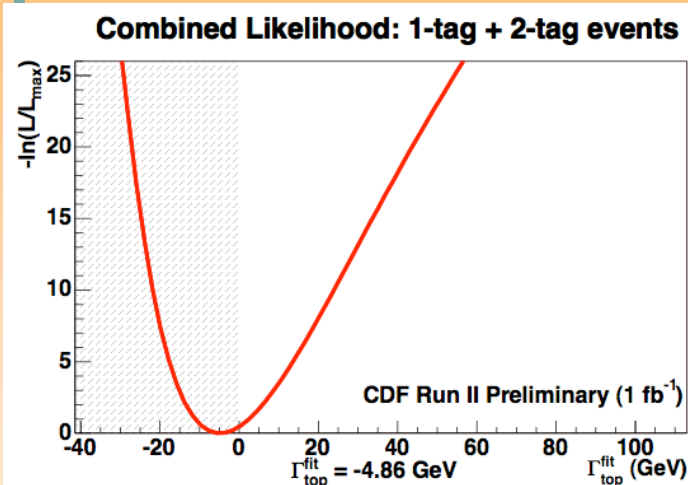
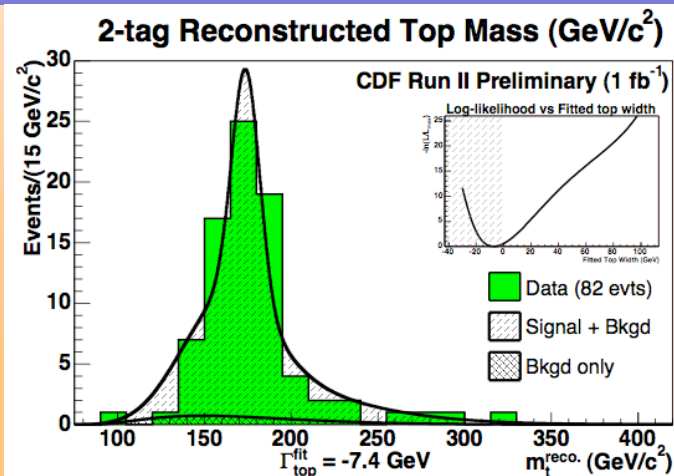
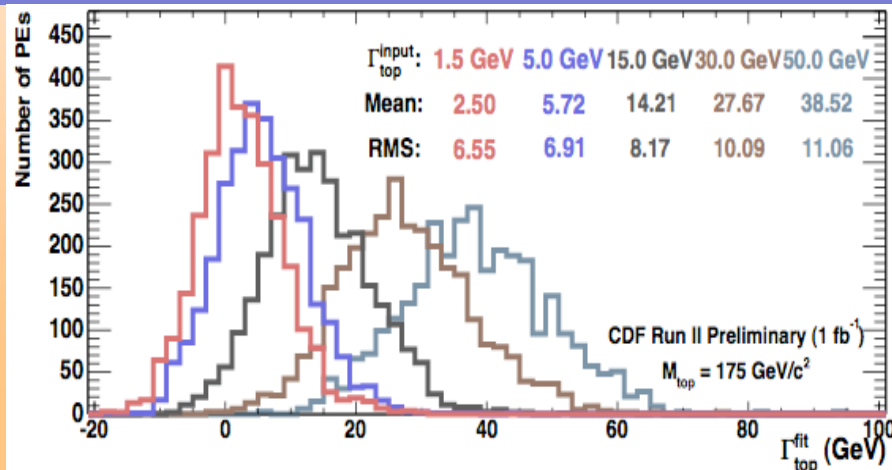
- Numbers of events measured in two bins: positive and negative values of $\Delta y \cdot Q_l$
- CDF: The asymmetry value is background subtracted and corrected for smearing effects of $t\bar{t}$ pair reconstruction with the inversion of 2×2 matrix



$A_{fb}[DØ] = 12 \pm 8(\text{stat}) \pm 1(\text{syst}) \%$
(not corrected for acceptance and reconstruction effects)

$A_{fb}[CDF] = 28 \pm 13(\text{stat}) \pm 5(\text{syst}) \%$

Top Quark Width



- Compare top mass distributions to Monte Carlo with various input width
- Use Feldman-Cousins prescriptions for setting the limit

*First direct measurement
of top width in Run2*

$$\Gamma_t < 12.7 @ 95\% \text{ CL}$$

(for M_t = 175 GeV)

Top Charge



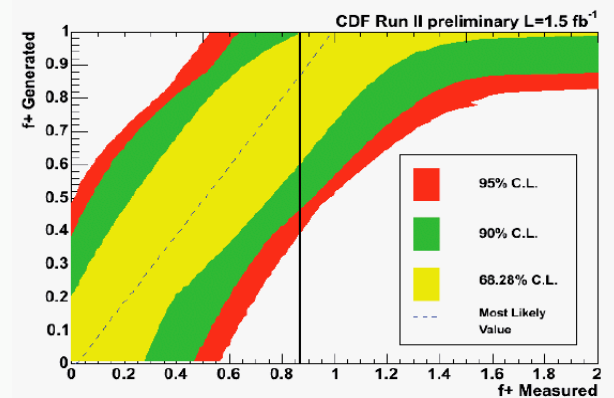
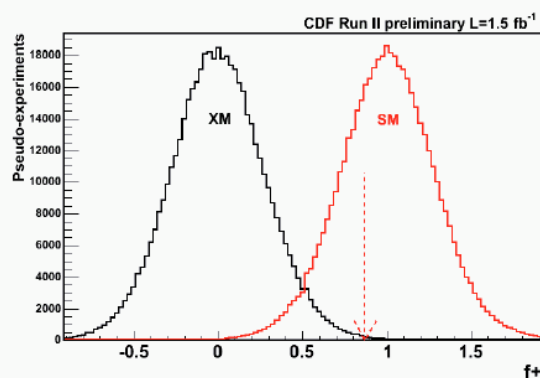
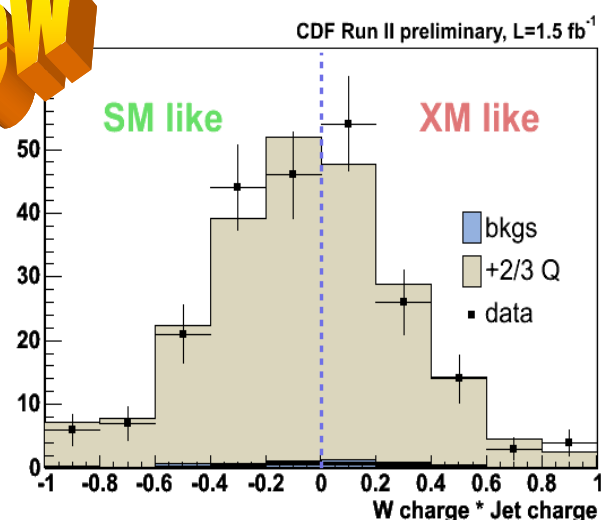
- Is the top the SM particle with $Q=+2/3$ or an exotic quark $Q=-4/3$?
- Select and fully reconstruct top events in lepton+jets (2 b-tagged jets) and dilepton channel (≥ 1 tagged jet)
- Determine:
 - flavor of b-jet
 - charge of W (lepton)
 - pairing between W and b (χ^2 fit and M_{lb})

D. Chang et al.
PRD 59, 091503

$$\text{JetQ} = \frac{\sum (\vec{p}_{\text{track}} \cdot \vec{p}_{\text{jet}})^x \cdot Q_{\text{track}}}{\sum (\vec{p}_{\text{track}} \cdot \vec{p}_{\text{jet}})^x}$$

- Optimized to increase the signal purity
- Calibrated in a data sample of di-jet events

New



**XM excluded
with CL = 87%**

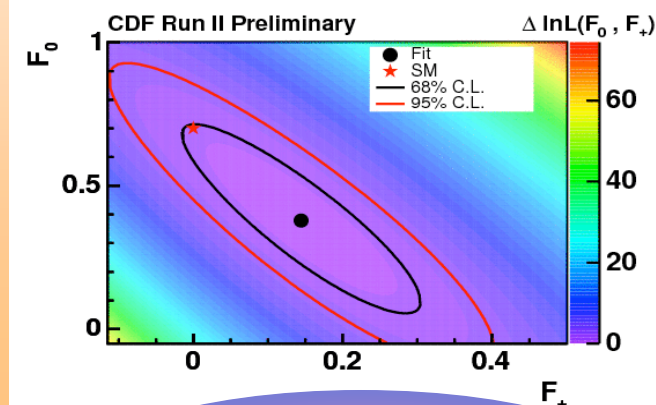
$f_+ > 0.4$ @ 95%CL



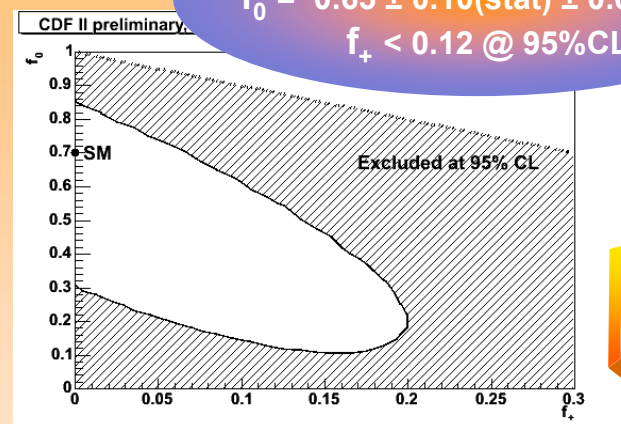
W Helicity



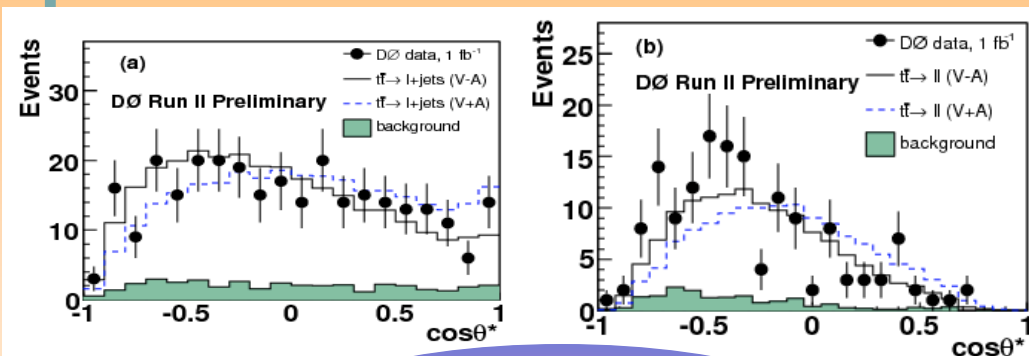
- Test of the V-A structure of tWb vertex: $\frac{-ig}{2\sqrt{2}} \bar{t} \gamma^\mu (1 - \gamma^5) V_{tb} b W_\mu$
- SM prediction:
 - $f_- \sim 30\%$ -left-handed; $f_0 \sim 70\%$ - longitudinal; $f_+ \sim 0.036\%$ - right-handed
- CDF: lepton+ ≥ 4 jets (≥ 1 tag) events
 - Two techniques: different event reconstruction and b-tagging algorithm
- DØ: add di-lepton channel, no b-tagging
- Measure angular distribution of charged lepton wrt top in W rest frame: $\cos\theta^*$
- Fit helicity fractions with unbinned likelihood



1D: (fixed f_0 or f_+)
 $f_0 = 0.65 \pm 0.10(\text{stat}) \pm 0.06(\text{syst})$
 $f_+ < 0.12 @ 95\%CL$



New



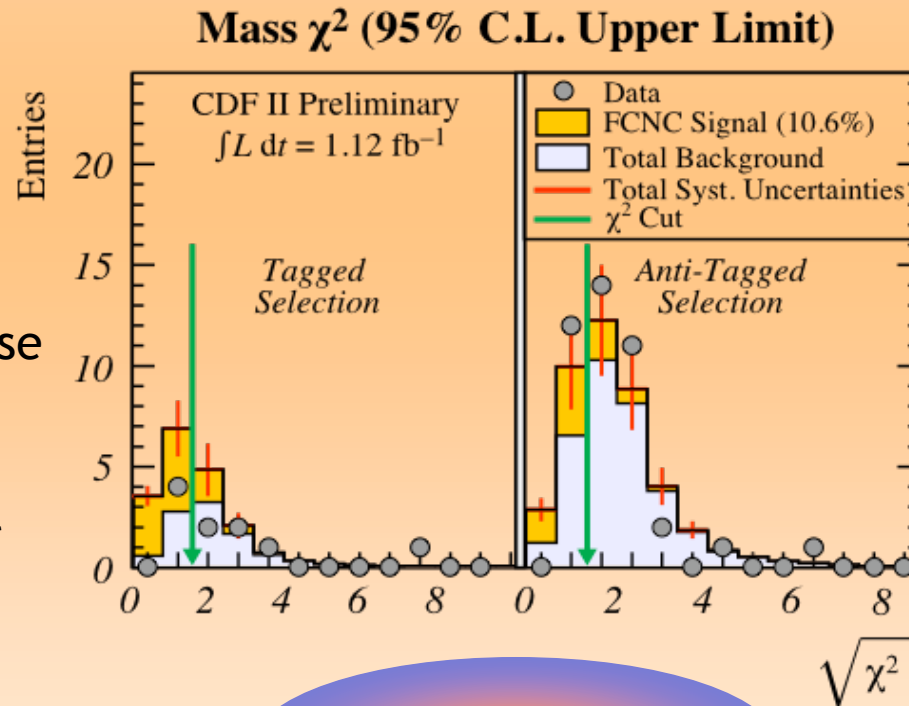
1D: (fixed f_0)
 $f_+ = 0.017 \pm 0.048(\text{stat}) \pm 0.047(\text{syst})$
 $f_+ < 0.14 @ 95\%CL$

1D: (fixed f_0 or f_+)
 $f_0 = 0.57 \pm 0.11(\text{stat}) \pm 0.04(\text{syst})$
 $f_+ < 0.07 @ 95\%CL$

Search for FCNC $t \rightarrow Zq$



- FCNC are rare in the Standard Model
- Within the SM:
 - $BR(t \rightarrow Zq) = O(10^{-14})$
- Beyond the SM predicted can be up to $O(10^{-2})$
- Signature: $tt \rightarrow ZqWb \rightarrow llqqqb$
- Dominant background: Z +jets
- Blind search in $Z + \geq 4$ jets channel
- Use 2 signal regions to increase sensitivity: 1 loose tag and anti-tag
- Use χ^2 from the kinematic fit
- New limit surpasses the LEP limit



**$BR(t \rightarrow Zq) < 10.6\%$
@ 95%CL**

Conclusions

- Tevatron experiments have in hands 2 fb^{-1} of data and produce plenty of physics results
- Aiming for $6\text{-}8 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ of data by 2009 with two well understood detectors and continuously improving accelerator performance
- Tests of the Standard Model are performed at the level of precision, which meets or surpasses that of LEP
- Valuable constraints within SM e.g. PDFs, NNLO QCD will come with final datasets
- Fed into Top/W Mass measurement improvements - Constraints on Higgs Mass
 - Top Mass Precision = 1.1% \Rightarrow $\sim 0.7\%$ by the end of Run II
 - W Mass Precision = 0.04% \Rightarrow $\sim 0.02\%$ by the end of Run II
- The Higgs boson hunt is under way
- New Physics might be around the corner!